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SALISBURY MAIL TRAIN HOLDUP LAID TO R.R. MAN

Hultman 'Bomb' Hits Fire Dept.

2 DEAD, $2,000,000 LOSS IN STORM

AWAITING CHAPLIN KISS?

—Photo by Acme

MOVIE FOLK SAY LOVE'LL FIND A WAY
Mrs. Lita Grey Chaplin photographed in Charlie Chaplin's California mansion, which she left vowing never to return. Big movie magnates look for a reconciliation, however.

70-MILE GALE SWEEPS PATH OF RUIN ACROSS N. E.; BIG HUB DAMAGE

Two men lost their lives today and property damage estimated at $2,000,000 was caused in a storm of sleet, snow and rain which ripped across New England in a 70-mile-an-hour gale, disrupting trans-Atlantic radio telephone service as it coursed.

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In Boston Harbor scores of large and small vessels were torn from their moorings to endanger shipping, and throughout the city and suburbs cellars were flooded and fires extinguished by water pouring in from streets in which gutters and drains were clogged with snow.

One more grim tragedy of the sea was added into New England coast, when a gale which in some sections large trees down off Point Judith, R. I., five men along with only to be overturned fire boat until rescued by a tug, but too

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HULTMAN 'BOMB SHELL' HITS FIRE DEPARTMENT

On the eve of his departure for a vacation in Bermuda, Fire Commissioner Eugene C. Hultman today exploded a bombshell in the rank and file of the fire department by announcing a drastic system of periodic inspections for the department.

The commissioner declared there has been a deplorable lack of discipline in the department for the past few years, which he took steps to transform was intended to remedy.

The "spirit" of the fire department

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FIN. COM. WILL PROBE M'GRATH GRAFT CHARGE

Regardless of "whom they hit," the graft charges brought by City Councilor Joseph McGrath, brother of the late Nathaniel F. P. Nichols, the Mayor's brother, will be the subject of early investigation by the Finance Commission, Chairman Charles L. Carr announced today.

McGrath specifically charged that the Mayor's brother shares with contractor Riggs, who was awarded a $225,000 contract for removal of city

ashes, in irregular payments of $125 a week in connection with the method of payment of such

SAYS "PREPOSTEROUS"

The Mayor's brother denied all knowledge of the charges and characterized the

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FRIENDS SEE CHAPLIN RECONCILIATION NEAR

New York, Feb. 26.—"I would not be surprised to see Charlie Chaplin and his wife kiss and make up. It may prove to be one of those things that start smooth a row and end up peaceably."

This statement, which may throw a sensationally new light on the controversy between Charlie Chaplin and Lita Grey Chaplin, was expressed by Joseph M. Schenck, head of the United Artists Corporation.

The film executive denies having made any attempt to bring about the possible reconciliation. He claims the motion picture executives have no control over their stars.

"Even if we could," said Schenck,

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BEBE DANIELS WOUNDS SELF WHILE FENCING

BE MORE CAREFUL, BEBE!
Film star is wearing a bandage on her forehead today as the result of mishap during fencing bout with her instructor. In making a lunge Bebe cut herself with the point of her own foil.

'JORDAN AND I PLANNED MAIL TRAIN HOLDUP,' JOHN BOYD TESTIFIES

William Jordan, Boston & Maine baggagemaster, was today accused in Federal Court of being the instigator and "brains" of the $65,000 train robbery at Salisbury, last July.

The accusation was made by John Boyd, one of the men on trial, and the attorneys for Boyd, John Andrews and Michael Andrews, the three men now on trial charged with the robbery.

Boyd, the first defense witness, testifying in his own behalf, said he and the baggagemaster planned the robbery while Boyd was a passenger on his train. As his share of the loot, Boyd said $40,000 was burned along the Newburyport Turnpike for Jordan within an hour after Boyd and his companions robbed the train.

Mary Andrews Kondratuk, pretty sweetheart of John Boyd, who is charged by the government with being the ringleader of the $65,000 Salisbury train robbery, was revealed in Federal court today as a girl with many admirers.

While the blonde beauty who left her husband in Chelsea to flee with Boyd to Texas has not taken the stand herself, in the trials robbery

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DORCHESTER WOMAN IS HAPPY HOME WINNER

No other topic selected for general discussion by the Boston Evening American over a considerable period has aroused so much interest as "What Makes Home Happy? What Makes Home Unhappy?"

Every reader is invited to express his or her views on this subject and The Evening American will pay Ten Dollars for each and every letter

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EMILY FULLER DENIES SHE WAS HARRIS' WIFE

Breaking her silence today in a statement by long-distance telephone to the Boston Evening American, Miss Emily Fuller, pretty Somerville girl, explained that a mutual regard existing between herself, her mother and the late Charles S. Harris caused the Boston theatrical man to leave her his small fortune.

Eager to free hubby any charge made by contestants of Harris' will, Miss Fuller, who was his ticket seller at the Bijou Theatre and box boss in Mt. Vernon, N. Y., seeking a chance to become an actress, left for Boston on an afternoon train.

"I deny positively that I was married to Mr. Harris," she said. "Mr. Harris was a dear, dear man and a

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AT MIAMI
1—Mungo 13, Night March 11.40, Helen T 5.40
2—Marengo 5.60, Highland Chief 8, Wishington Stone 5.30

RACE RESULTS AT HAVANA
1—Atador 8-5, Top Lady 7-10, Primus 4-5

VOTE MONDAY ON COOLIDGE FARM BILL VETO
Washington, Feb. 26 (A.P.).—The Senate vote in an attempt to override the President's veto of the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill went over today until Monday.

Today

Well, He Vetoed It
That Took Courage
Better Than Gold
K. R. Kingsbury's Plant

By Arthur Brisbane

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THE PRESIDENT vetoed the McNary-Haugen farm bill, and on the Chicago Board of Trade wheat immediately went up one cent and a half a bushel.

If wheat goes up high enough and cotton follows, between now and 1928 farmers won't miss their McNary-Haugen bill.

IN HIS VETO the President says that "the bill is unconstitutional, would not benefit the farmer, and is unworkable."

However, Mr. Coolidge was elected President to veto any bill that should be in his opinion unconstitutional or unwise. He

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Col. Frank Knox Joins Hearst Organization

Colonel Frank Knox, publisher of the Manchester Union and Leader of Manchester, N. H., has joined the Hearst newspaper organization, in the capacity of regional director of the Hearst newspapers for New England.

Colonel Knox assumes his duties as regional director on March 1.

Wilson's Brother Dead

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 26 (A.P.).—Joseph R. Wilson, 69, brother of Woodrow Wilson, former President, died today at his home in Baltimore, according to information received here by relatives. His burial will be at Clarksville, Tenn., his former home.

U. S. Treasury Balance

Washington, Feb. 26.—Today's balances, $211,365,226.

Bank Statement

Boston balance	$55,000,000
Boston clearance	83,000,000
New York balance	111,000,000
New York clearance	1,106,000,000

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Emotions Sway Mary Kondratuk At Train Robbery Trial As Sweetheart Is Mentioned

2 Dead, Millions Loss in N. E. Storms

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f them died later at Newport Hospital.

The three, the Luther Hooper, was bound from Baltimore to Providence with 3,500 tons of soft coal; second in a string of three barges towed by a tug. It sank quickly when its seams opened in the windswept sea.

The five seamen, after a terrible experience in the water, were taken aboard by the crew of the tug A. O. Walker, which rushed them to Newport. As the two most badly battered by the waves died, the others lay unconscious in adjoining hospital beds.

The men at the hospital are Captain John Brochaia of the barge, William Hicks and Henry Mobley.

A survivor said the men who died joined the ship at Providence. He was Isaac Fechter of Le Have, N. S., he believed. He said he did not know the name of the other men.

Trans-Atlantic telephone service was restored to telephone company officials by a relay hop by way of White River Junction, Littleton, N. H., Berlin, N. H., Lewiston, Me., to Bridton, Me.

Of 9,000 pole circuits in New England, 400 were out of commission. Seventeen lines out of Boston were in trouble, 10 out of Portland, 11 out of Portsmouth and 37 out of Worcester. The troubles were chiefly in country places, several hundred poles being dragged down by sleet-covered wires.

Streams and rivers were swollen to dangerous heights by rain and melting snow. Railroad trains were delayed by wire wreckage, trolley service was at a standstill in many localities because of rails crusted with ice, and trolley poles down, and electric light service failed in several cities and towns.

While Boston was being swept by wind and rain, other sections of the State were being blinded by the worst sleet storm in years, followed in some sections by heavy snowfall.

Trees were tossed down by the wind, while many, heavy with ice, pulling and groaning in the wind in many places, clung to the wires and all their weight dragged down the supporting poles.

WASHOUTS THREATENED

Railroads reported taking steps to prevent threatening washouts and the destruction of bridges over flooded streams and rivers. The telephone company reported serious damage in all sections while the Postal Telegraph Company and Western Union were forced to rush but large crews of emergency workers to repair disrupted lines.

Short-circuiting of wires on the Portland, Southern and Fitchburg divisions of the Boston & Maine railroad delayed trains on these lines. The wires, together with many poles, were down over long stretches in the outlying sections of the State.

Two large steamers, the Oxana and Zylayl, were among vessels in the harbor that were dragged from their anchorages. Harbor police were kept busy through the night shuttling small craft to safe moorings.

The Oxana and Zylayl drifted so far from their anchorages, off Hog Island, that the crews were called from their quarters to get up steam and allow vessels out of the channels toward which they were drifting, threatening to cause serious collisions with other steamers.

Trees, wires and telephone poles were laid low by the storm and gale from Fitchburg to Greenfield, where a heavy snow fell for hours then changed to sleet and rain.

Fifteen poles along the Boston & Maine line in the short stretch between Concord, N. H., and Hooksett were down and emergency crews were despatched to repair damage there and in other places all along the three main divisions.

Around Fitchburg, where electric light and power service was cut off for hours, the storm was said to be the worst since the ice-storm of 1921. Many acres of land were inundated in New Hampshire and Maine by streams and rivers that overflowed their banks.

POSTAL WIRES DOWN.

The Postal Telegraph Company wires were down north of Nashua, N. H., but quick work by linemen restored service through to Manchester. Beyond that point there was other serious trouble and wires down along the coast forced the re-routing of messages to Maine through Manchester.

Several Maine cities and towns were cut off from all communication, these including Brunswick and small communities in that vicinity.

Four Western Union circuits were out of commission along the Boston & Maine Railroad right of way in New Hampshire and Vermont, one of these being between Concord and Manchester, N. H., a heavy traffic line.

More than six inches of sleet and snow piled on the ground in the vicinity of Ayer, Fitchburg and Gardner.

Storm warnings were posted by the government from Sandy Hook to Eastport, Me., because of continuous strong winds along the coast but the weather bureau predicted rain weather for Boston and vicinity for tonight and Sunday. The mercury is due to drop slightly, with a minimum temperature of about 25 degrees during the next 24 hours.

North Adams Paralyzed by 10-Inch Snowfall

North Adams, Feb. 26 (A.P.)—High winds and a ten-inch snowfall broke down telephone, telegraph and trolley wires, putting four hundred telephone lines out of commission and delaying trolley schedules.

The Berkshire Street Railway Company operated all lines except that to Beenneton, Vt., which was operated for only six of the usual 13 miles.

Drifting snow made the Mohawk Trail impassable by filling cuts. Telephone toll service was almost at a standstill, only a few lines being available.

GALE WARNINGS ALONG COAST

Washington, Feb. 26 (A.P.)—The Weather Bureau today issued this storm warning:

"Advisory storm warning south of Sandy Hook to Delaware Breakwater at 2 p. m., and warnings changed to northwest Sandy Hook, N. J., to Eastport, Me., disturbance over Southern New England moving northeastward, will cause strong west and northwest winds.

Storm Fails to Keep London From Talking to California

New York, Feb. 26 (A.P.)—The first great obstacle on land that has seriously interfered with the trans-Atlantic radio telephone service was overcome today with the successful opening of a new land-wire route from Houlton, Me., to New York, to replace a leg of the route disrupted for several hours in the blizzard in Maine, officials of the American Telephone & Telegraph Company announced.

Conversations scheduled between London and San Francisco under today's extension of the service to the Pacific were carried on, however, only a little more than two hours behind schedule, it was said.

Two More Identify Men in Mail Loot Trial

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The cross-examination of the government witness, directed by the girl herself, revealed him as a former and apparently rejected suitor.

Boyd, with whom the girl fled to Texas, is wanted in Philadelphia for the murder of his own wife and must face that charge when the Federal authorities have finished with him. To go with Boyd to Texas, the girl deserted her own husband while the couple were living in Chelsea last Fall.

EMOTIONS STIRRED.

Since the trial of her sweetheart and her father and brother first started, the girl has been constantly in the courtroom. Her emotions have been constantly stirred, and frequently when evidence she believed damaging to her sweetheart was offered, she sobbed brokenly.

Today, when Kowalski was called to the stand to testify for the government, the girl left her seat in the rear of the courtroom and took a chair by the side of the chief of the defense counsel, Major Ivory Elston of Nashua.

She followed every word of Kowalski's testimony, in which he told of having conversations with the Andrews, father and son, both in the Nashua Jail and in the East Cambridge Jail. Kowalski testified that the elder Andrews told him to see Boyd when the latter was returned from Texas, and tell Boyd to tell the police it was two Armenians who aided him in the train robbery.

It was when Kowalski was turned over to Major Eaton for cross-examination that the girl assumed a more important role. Leaning across the desk, her lips close to the attorney's ear, she directed question after question that was hurled at the man on the stand.

Q—Weren't you mad when John Boyd came on the scene at the Andrews home? A—I did nothing mad.

Q—Didn't you represent yourself to Mary Andrews as being a single man? A—No.

Q—Didn't you complain to John Andrews, her father, about Boyd cutting you out in her affections?

A—Well, I didn't like him.

Q—After Boyd started to come there didn't you propose selling your house and going away with Mary?

A—No.

Q—Aren't you a stool pigeon for the Nashua police because Mary threw you down? A—Well, I did something for the police.

Q—You were mad at John Andrews and Mary and did all in your power to help the police? A—Well, I did help out the police and post-office inspectors.

Major Eaton then asked the girl to stand up. With a defiant toss of

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PEACE NEAR IN CHAPLIN ROW?

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"Samuel Goldwyn, Will Hays or myself couldn't tell Charlie Chaplin what to do or what not to do in a case like this. It's his own private business. If we tried to interfere, which we shall not, he most probably would tell us all to be good enough not to butt in. And transfer his allegiance elsewhere."

Had Will Hays, then, been contemplating any action with regard to Chaplin?

COULD GIVE ADVICE.

"To my knowledge, he has not," Schenck replied. "He might give advice, but he can go no further than that."

Will Hays' action in the Fatty Arbuckle case, said Schenck, had been misconstrued.

"Mr. Hays did not oust Arbuckle from the films," Schenck explained. "He merely ordered that pictures filmed before that date could not be released."

Schenck discounted the report that he and Samuel Goldwyn had been commissioned to intercede in the Chaplin marital tangle, the purpose being to eliminate the unpleasantness that court proceedings might introduce.

MRS. COOLIDGE'S FORMER SECRETARY NEAR DEATH

Washington, Feb. 26 (I.N.S.)—Mrs. Charlotte Wilkins Costello, 24, a former secretary to Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, was fighting for life today in a local hospital, following a fall of three stories from her apartment window. She suffered internal injuries.

She explained she was faint and had gone to the window for air. She and her husband, Charles Costello, separated some months ago.

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FIREMEN HIT BY HULTMAN 'BOMBSHELL'

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the commissioner declared, is in part responsible for Boston having the heaviest fire loss of any city of its size in the country.

Newer and younger men of the fire department, now in the outlying stations, are to be transferred to stations in the heart of the city, Mr. Hultman said, while the veterans who have spent many years in their present places in downtown fire houses, will be shifted to the hinterland. All of which will make for better discipline and a more efficient fire-fighting machine, he said.

FOR GENERAL TRANSFER.

The commissioner denied that any general shake-up would be ordered before he sails from New York on Monday.

"There will be no general transfer at least until I get back," said Mr. Hultman. "I don't do business that way. When there is a shake-up I'll be around when the pieces fall."

The commissioner's manner indicated, however, that some interesting times for the members of the fire department are just ahead.

"The trouble is that there has been no discipline in the fire department for ten years," the commissioner continued. "Many of the men think they have a vested right in the buildings in which they are working."

Asked as to just what the new policy would be, Commissioner Hultman offered a copy of a letter he had just sent to a Back Bay friend. This friend had written Mr. Hultman, pleading that a certain member of the fire department be not transferred from his present station which he had occupied for years.

LETTER TO FRIEND.

Quoting from Mr. Hultman's reply to the request:

"It will be my policy to transfer the older patrolmen, particularly, and also the officers to a considerable extent, to the outlying companies, to improve the efficiency of those companies, and of course, the inhabitants of the section covered by these companies are entitled to as good protection as that given other sections of the city.

"This will also give an opportunity of bringing he younger men down town where service is very much more active and strenuous and older men are in great peril of serious injury.

"I cannot help but think that the fact that Boston has had the highest fire loss of any city of its size in the United States has been brought about in part by the spirit which has grown up among some of the men, due to their being left in one house too long. They feel they have a vested right, both to their job and in the house in which they are stationed, irrespective of their efficiency."

Can't Pound Out Justice Without Little Mallet

"I WAS BEATEN"
John H. McCullon, Harvard undergraduate, one of the defendants in the dramatic trial which comes as a thunderous echo of the famous "Battle of Harvard Square." He was among casualties.

JUSTICE MILL CAN'T RUN WITHOUT ITS HAMMER
Court Officer Gilmore B. Creelman lost his gavel and all proceedings were held up until the instrument was recovered. "Law must be orderly, and how can order be kept in the court when the gavel is lost," he said. At right, Miss Mary Callahan of Cambridge, a spectator, who has many friends on trial.

Boston Evening American Staff Photo

"BEQUEST" FUND FOR BAY STATE AGED PLANNED

Lay Film Murder Plot ≈ And Suicide to 'Snow Mania'

LOVE QUARREL LEADS HIM TO GRAVE

ynn Reynolds, who shot himself through the brain after a quarrel with his wife, own on the screen as Kathleen O'Connor, police say. The quarrel started at a ner which was attended by two friends of the Reynolds couple. He first tried kill his wife, she claims. He is shown in one of his film poses.

FATE SAVES HER AS CARTRIDGE SNAPS

Kathleen O'Connor Reynolds, wife of the suicide director, who owes her life to the fate that snapped a pistol cartridge as the director aimed at her, police say. They lay Reynolds' act to "snow madness"

WOULD ASK GIFTS BY WEALTHY

Massachusetts will embark on a new era of humanitarian treatment of its aged and needy citizens if a bill now under favorable consideration by the legislative Committee on Pensions is enacted into law.

This committee is expected to report within a short period in favor of the establishment of a bequest fund to which gifts from wealthy citizens will be solicited.

A bill for such a bequest fund is before the committee under which women at the age of 60 and men at 65 would be eligible for pensions. It was filed by Wendell P. Towne, father of the non-contributory pension idea in this State.

The same idea was suggested by Governor Fuller in his 1923 inaugural message. The former governor recommended then that to start the fund the State appropriate $100,000 He would have had it handled by a commission of five members to hold office for ten years. There would also be handling to the State treasurer.

"Our pride as citizens has been stirred frequently by enormous gifts for public purposes, such as parks, playgrounds, boulevards and the beautifying of cities," Governor Fuller said in his message.

"If men are willing to leave vast sums of money for such worthy purposes, there must be those who would welcome the opportunity for leaving funds, assured of their proper administration, to be devoted to making more comfortable and happy those in old age who have tried with honest purpose and have failed."

FED UP ON 'GYPSY LIFE'

FAILS TO FIND WANDERLUST'S LURE

Kasia Mahoney, daughter of a New York higher court justice, says at 15 that she's had enough of this Gypsy life stuff. She was "lost" for nearly a month, but now she's back home, tired of chasing the romantic lure in wanderlust.

—International Newsreel Photo

2 OF THE LAST 15 IN POST 2

G. A. R. MEN CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY

Benjamin A. Ham, 86, commander of Dahlgren Post 2, G. A. R., and Edwin A. Cutler, junior vice-commander, photographed at the luncheon at the Army and Navy Club, Hotel Bellevue, in observance of the post's 47th anniversary. There are only 15 members of the post surviving.

—Boston Evening American Staff Photo

SENATE VOTES DOWN BOULDER DAM CLOTURE

Washington, Feb. 26 (A.P.)—Twice within a half hour the Senate refused today to ease the closing days of its session by invoking its drastic cloture rule, designed to break up filibusters.

Overwhelmingly it defeated an effort to put the rule into force to compel action on the Boulder Canyon dam bill, which recently evoked a filibuster that kept the Senate in session for thirty hours without a break. A two-thirds majority would be required, but only 32 senators voted for cloture while 59 opposed it.

A second vote was on applying the rule to a bill to give emergency World War army officers the same disability retirement privileges as regulars. This time 51 voted for cloture, with 36 against, only three less than the required two-thirds.

Two cloture petitions remain pending. One would apply the debate limitation to the administration's prohibition reorganization bill and the other to the $125,000,000 public buildings bill.

START NEW SOUTH END FIRE STATION NEXT WEEK

Work on a new central fire station on the site of the old Barnard Memorial on Broadway, South End, will begin next week, Fire Commissioner Eugene C. Hultman having signed a contract today for its construction.

John B. Dolan, the lowest bidder, secured the contract at $210,000. The new fire house will be three stories high and will have a frontage of eighty feet on Broadway. It will extend through to Warrenton street.

Four companies will be housed there and it will also serve as headquarters for the chief of the department.

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MOTHER AND GIRL FLEE NORTH END FLAMES

LONE FIREMAN HAS BUSY TIME

Mrs. Rose Bettini and her daughter, Nicola, 11, who fled from their home, No. 6 Cross street, North End, when flames menaced the place. Stephen Lydon, a fireman, off duty, discovered the fire, turned in an alarm, and battled the flames single-handed until the apparatus arrived. Loss was $3000 to a store.

—Boston Evening American Staff Photo

CAPTAIN SAILS SHIP TO PORT AND DROPS

Driving his vessel to port in the early morning hours through murk and rain, Captain P. E. Respess, twenty-eight-year-old skipper of the steam collier Bylavi, dropped anchor today off Rest Island flats and collapsed in his cabin, victim of an acute stomach ailment.

The tug Neptune of the Dana Coal Company met the side of the vessel starting a trip that ended at the Phillips House, Massachusetts General Hospital, for a quick operation that probably saved his life.

Respess was stricken yesterday while piloting his craft from Norfolk but doggedly determined to make port. Officials of the Pocahontas Coal Company, local agents, reported the doctors were satisfied with the operation.

The Bylavi and the collier Ozama dragged anchor in the small, coming together with a crash without serious damage.

FIRST PAYMENT MADE ON NEW CAMP FIRE HOME

Enthusiasm abounded at a luncheon meeting of district chairmen of Greater Boston Camp Fire Girls when it was announced that the first payment had been made on the new Camp Fire home at No. 324 Commonwealth avenue.

The meeting was held at the Women's City Club and Miss Lotta Clark, new president of the council, presided. Forty guardians attended. Miss Clark said the new home will be a shrine of heart and home-making, and a happy gathering place for girls and their friends.

Two More Bodies Found

New York, Feb. 26 (I.N.S.)—Two more bodies, burned beyond recognition, were recovered today from the British freighter Black Sea, which blew up off Bayonne, N. J., making a total of four bodies taken from the ship. The search continues.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS DINE

NEW HOME PRAISED AT LUNCHEON

Miss Zillah E. Wells, field secretary, and Miss Lotta A. Clark, new president of the council of Greater Boston Camp Fire Girls, at the jubilee luncheon at the Women's City Club today in celebration of payment of the first $10,000 on the new Camp Fire home at No. 324 Commonwealth avenue.

—Boston Evening American Staff Photo

FULLER WILL BE 49 TOMORROW

Governor Alvan T. Fuller will be forty-nine years old tomorrow.

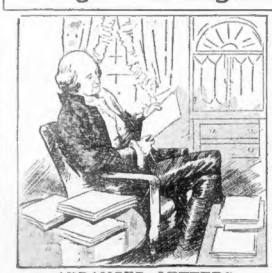
With members of his immediate family, the Governor left today for his Summer residence at Rye Beach, N. H., where he will celebrate his birthday in the quiet of the surroundings.

Those in the party were Mrs. Fuller, three of the children, Mrs. Martha P. Halsey, the Governor's sister; Hope Halsey, his niece, and Mrs. Flora A. Fuller, his mother. Lydia, the Governor's daughter, is at school and did not go in the party.

MARY GARDEN HAS THROAT INFECTION

Chicago, Feb. 26 (A.P.)—Mary Garden, suffering from a slight throat infection, [illegible] here for consultation with [illegible] throat specialists. Dr. Jerome Strauss, who said she plans to rejoin the Chicago Opera Company before its tour of the East is completed if her condition is improved.

George Washington ≈ A Hero Goes ≈ By W. E. Woodward



ARRANGED LETTERS

In the later years of his life, after his retirement from the Presidency, Washington spent much of his time in going over his correspondence and putting it in order. He realized that posterity would be deeply interested in it.

CAUGHT COLD

On December 12, 1799, Washington rode around his plantations on a tour of inspection, although the day was stormy. The next day he complained of a cold, which quickly developed into a severe case of quinsy.

UNAFRAID

As night was falling, on December 14, Washington said to his physician: "Doctor, I die hard, but I am not afraid to go." Then, considerate of others to the last, he motioned to his body servant, Christopher, and whispered: "Sit down."

THE END

He died at about ten o'clock that evening, aged 67 years. Mrs. Washington asked: "Is he gone?" and then said: "'Tis well. All is now over. I have no more trials to pass through. I shall soon follow him." (THE END.)

ONE-WAY RULE FOR STREETS

One-way street restrictions involving Tremont, Bromfield, between Stuart and Broadway, and Trinity place and from Huntington avenue, southbound, will be considered Wednesday at a meeting of the Boston street commissioners in City Hall annex.

According to present regulations on Tremont street, vehicles are permitted to go one way except Sundays and holidays in the open theatre season, from 1:30 to 2:30 and from 4:30 to 5:30 in the afternoon, Wednesday and Saturday, and from 7:30 to 8:30 at night.

The rule has worked well, but commissioners have heard there is now no need for it.

2 NEAR DEATH FROM BURNS BY SOLUTION

Pawtucket, Feb. 26.—Jacob Kuchee and Peter Hanna, employes of the Acme Finishing Company, are near death from burns suffered when a caustic solution splashed on them. It is thought one of the men opened a bleaching machine prematurely.

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Society Sharpens Skates And Gracefully Glides Over Arena Rink Surface

When maids and little misses of Boston's Upper Tendom, keen lovers of the great outdoors, are denied their favorite Winter exercise by the vagaries of New England weather, they simply pick up their skates and go indoors and cut fancy figures and indulge in ice contests

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BETTY ALDEN'S COMMENT ON SOCIETY

Three Wedding Ceremonials of Importance Feature Day; Two Are Local; Third in Washington

WEDDING BELLS GAVE TODAY ITS PREDOMINATING motif. Society found itself concerned with three important alliances celebrated on February's last Saturday and naturally questioned if that always charming creature, the bride, is not turning away from the traditional June of hallowed association to favor on February the romantic scent of orange blossoms and the shimmer of glendoir satin. Locally the fashionables first rustled into Arlington Street Church's high backed pews to hear Miss Jane Peters exchange the solemn vows of matrimony with Samuel Eliot Guild, and then motored to Brookline's First Parish while Miss Anita Bowditch and Roger Preston plighted their troth. Away in Washington, it was a young Boston man, John Caswell, Jr., who took for his future helpmate Mrs. Zachary Lansdowne at a ceremonial, sans pomp and circumstance, but immensely important none the less.

SUPREMELY FORTUNATE THE BRIDE who possesses rare and exquisite laces wherewith to array herself on the important day. Sentiment there was and tradition, and fairy beauty in the crepe point applique robe and train that Miss Peters wore. There was a satin train and her flowers are white orchids, tragile and exotic, and white freesia. Of feminine attendants there were none—a not unwise variation of the usual long procession with which so many brides surround themselves. Decoratively it was a yellow and green wedding. Yellow acacias against King ferns that spread wide green fronds high against the fine old altar was most effective and at the Bay State road home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Yorke Peters, Spring flowers massed carelessly, without studied arrangements, made fragrant background.

THE "SOMETHING OLD AND SOMETHING NEW" in the lovely creation worn by today's other important bride, Miss Anita Bowditch, found its expression in gleaming straight-line satin gown that had at the hem a wide banding of antique duchesse lace belonging to the bride's mother's wedding finery. Some lovely pieces of Venetian lace the bride wears in her hair. Summer were fashioned into the deep berthalike collar and pointed cuffs on the fingertip length sleeves. Essentially bridelike and conventional were the frothy tulle veil banded with orange blossoms and the slender length of train.

CARNIVAL RED CHIFFON for the matron of honor's frock, and gentian blue chiffon for the maids lent to the processional the novelty of brilliant coloring. Their hats, each of inky black velvet, were picture affairs, with transparent brims, and they carried arm clusters of variegated blossoms. Mrs. James Randall Fraser was matron, and the maids-in-waits were Miss Margaret Bowditch, Miss Carol Lord, Miss Marguerite Carman and Miss Virginia Harris. After the church ceremonial, close friends and the families went on to Mrs. Frederic Bowditch's home for the reception. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn G. Preston of Lexington.

THE NEW MRS. JOHN CASWELL, JR., was pictorially perfect in a frock inspired by Gainsborough's velvet clad beauties. From the brim of her wide hat to the tips of her buckled shoes she was the lady of high degree stepped down from a gilded frame. Her gown of sapphire blue velvet had a ruff and flaring cuffs of ivory lace, and the picture hat and velvet shoes exactly matched the softly brilliant sapphire hue. Her sole ornament was a diamond pin, the bridegroom's gift to his bride.

MR. CASWELL'S ENTOURAGE BROUGHT TOGETHER within its circle young men from both Boston and New York. Lothrop M. Weld was best man, and George Alton Fuller was head usher. Mr. Weld really is a Bostonian, although now living in New York, and Mr. D. Fuller is a New Yorker. Henry Parsons King of Boston, W. Lloyd Byers and George B. Perry hail from Boston, and George E. Watson, Jr., and William Watson from New York. This formally turned out set had no church duties to perform, as the ceremonial was a quiet one, celebrated at the Washington home of the bride's uncle, Jr. William B. Mason. Honeymoon days are to be spent in foreign parts, and then the Caswells, Jr., will set up their home in one of the smart environments that Long Island furnishes.

WHETHER MILADY OF THE SUPPER DANCE SET wears a sophisticated French creation all glittering spangles, a girlish crepe without adornment or a robe de style—each and every costume must have as accompaniment elaborate earrings. Earrings, preferably of the enormously long pendants sort, are very much "the thing" at the moment. Mrs. Charles Boyden wore handsome gold drops with her gold sequined gown. Mrs. Arthur Richmond appeared in a blue satin panniered frock with earrings of large pearls swinging on slender triple chains. Mrs. Henry Crocker Barr wore an orchid crepe cleverly beaded, and her eardrops were pearls and diamonds. Mrs. Lawrence Morgan matched her green velvet gown with jade earrings that formed enormous hoops swinging from dull gold studs.

WITH A SMART FROCK OF METAL CLOTH in black and dull gold, Mrs. Roger Griswold wore elaborate dull gold antique earrings and a necklace of the same ancient pattern. Her slippers were black satin, scalloped in gold. Miss Helenka Adamowska's fluffy golden locks were banded with a jeweled and platinum headband, and she wore swinging earrings of pearls set on slender chains. Her fringed gown was dull black, and so were her satin shoes. Mrs. Theodore Chickering wore her dress an unusual shade of lovely ochre and especially antique earrings in delicate filigree designs. Last night her smart little fringed frock of inky black set off admirably a single strand of pearls about her neck and handsome old-fashioned earrings that might have been heirlooms from her grandmother's wedding outfit.

THE SLENDERLY TALL AND BLACK-HAIRED YOUNG MATRON, Mrs. Thomas W. Sturgis, wore a black and white ensemble, modeling her dress gown of black and white with shining jet eardrops set with tiny pearls. Mrs. Roland T. Lyman's orange velvet and tulle frock and Mrs. Lyman's diamond earbands brightened the scene. Likewise Mrs. Manning Rodgers graduated pearl pendant earrings completing an effectively white but smart black satin gown. Mrs. Hinkley Welch wore the favorite pearl pendants, and her gown was a Nile green crepe spangled with crystal bailheads.

MRS. CHARLES P. GREENOUGH'S PEARL AND DIAMOND EARRINGS accompanied very correctly her smart fringed frock of ecaure rose. Mrs. Alvin Sortwell's gold beaded black crepe and her antique gold earrings were very well together. Also Mrs. Frederick Buck's turquoise satin set cleverly girdled, and her turquoise marrix earrings banded in gold. Mrs. Quincy Shaw, Jr., removed a rich quilted wrap of gold cloth to reveal an equally effective gown of gold cloth in peacock-colored beads. Ornamental gold buttons adorned her gold shoes, and her jewels were pearls in slender ropes and antique pearl and gold earrings.

MISS MARGERY RICHARDSON'S ROSE LEAF CHEEKS and fluffy golden hair and one of those quaint little frocks of which she is so fond combined to make her one of the prettiest younger set girls at the Somerset party. Hands of ladies in alternating Nile and forest green formed the gown, and there was a surprise arrangement of the pale green about the shoulders. Mrs. Charles Coolidge, Jr., wore a bertha frock of white satin and a coral silk shawl that exactly matched her floral eardrops and the coral ribbon bow with its long streamers that was caught at the front of her bodice.

NO MATTER WHAT THE WEATHER MAN DECREES—whether it rain or sleet, mist or snow—ever is the Arena ice perfect and ever do the Skating Club members turn out en masse at afternoon sessions. Little Miss Mary Mcison is a young skater who can do the twists and turns like a veteran. Also little Miss Audrey Butler, one of the tiny members. In fact, the whole set is cleverly expert. There is Miss Elizabeth Lloyd, Miss Madeleine Jonckheere and Miss Judith Marsland. Miss Edith Sigourney skates as well as she plays tennis, and that is a very great degree of excellence indeed.

Betty Alden

NICARAGUAN ACTION OF BRITISH STIRS GOSSIP

Washington, Feb. 26 (A.P.).—Senator Borah's proposal to have the Foreign Relations Committee authorized to visit Mexico and Nicaragua this Summer was squelched today by the committee itself.

By JAMES T. WILLIAMS, JR.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Dispatch of a British cruiser to Nicaraguan waters to protect British subjects is generally regarded here as a more serious reflection upon the Administration's Nicaraguan policy than any criticism yet offered in either House or Senate.

The London Government's decision appears to have taken the Washington Government completely by surprise. It has set the members of the diplomatic corps to discussing the possibility of Italy following suit. It has also stimulated gossip about Secretary Kellogg's retirement.

As usual the Committee on Foreign Relations is completely in the dark on the whole matter. Its chairman followed up his criticism of American policy with a blast against British policy. But he does not speak for his committee.

It is even denied by Republican members of the committee that as chairman, Senator Borah can command the support of a majority of the committee on this or any other question in foreign affairs that is really vital.

Senator Borah appears to put little reliance on the reports of American diplomatic and consular officials in Nicaragua. He is in correspondence with émigré Americans who are engaged in business there.

These he has quoted on several occasions as being displeased by the course the administration is pursuing. He seems to think that they are safe guides for the Washington government.

At the Navy Department you are told that the Department of State is wholly responsible for the instructions to Admiral Latimer, commanding the American naval force in Nicaraguan waters and the marines and bluejackets ashore.

He will still be the senior officer present after the arrival of the British cruiser Colombo, its commander being Captain A. M. Lecky, who is junior to Admiral Latimer.

ENDORSES R. I. MILL STRIKE

Providence, R. I., Feb. 26 (A.P.).—The United Textile Workers of America emergency board today endorsed the strike of the workers in the Social plant of the Manville-Jenckes Company in Woonsocket and empowered International President John H. Powers to take any action they saw fit in bringing the affair to a successful conclusion.

The contention of the union in a statement today was that the mills pushed last week by the Manville-Jenckes mill, to the effect that the plant would close after the time set expired, or were operated under conditions of a lockout and intensified the action of the workers in walking out at once.

HOLD $500,000 RUM SHIP CREW

Philadelphia, Feb. 26 (A.P.).—Charged with smuggling a $500,000 cargo of whiskey into this country, J. H. S. MacDonald, master of the British steamship Clackamas, and 28 members of his crew were held for court today by United States Commissioner Long.

Much of the bearing was taken up by a story of piracy, rum-running, mutiny and smuggling told by M. J. Long, Wireless operator on the vessel. Long said he had turned informer because "they did not do the right thing."

He added that he had been held prisoner since the ship arrived here February 18 and that he had managed to escape and notify government officials, who arrested Captain MacDonald and his crew.

The captain was held in $5,000 bail, the mate and engineer in $2,000 each and the members of the crew in $1,000 each. Bond was furnished by all.

MORE FOODSTUFFS IN STORAGE THAN YEAR AGO

There were 22,510,565 pounds of foodstuffs in cold storage February 1, more than 2,000,000 pounds in excess of what was in storage a year ago, Hermann C. Lythgoe, director of the food and drug division of the State Department of Health reported today. The egg and butter holdings were below normal, beef and pork slightly above the five-year average, and lard about normal. The poultry holdings, however, the director declared, were excessive, and with the exception of 1923, a record.

You will find anything from a coal range to a complete outfit in the Classified Ads. Classification 116.

'CONNIE' WA FOR COMSTO

New York, Feb. 26 (I. N. S.)—Pretty "Connie" Almy, nigh entertainer, is sure her r Stanley Comstock, wealthy estate man of Florida, New and California, has been kidn she said today.

The only girl who ever Peggy Hopkins Joyces out or a n set decidedly in the home of parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Almy, at Lewis, N. J.

She and Comstock were to ha been married on January 14, af a whirlwind engagement, the s said.

Comstock was taken sick January 13, and was taken care by relatives at the Coral Gabl Hotel.

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PUBLIC URGED TO AID FIGHT ON DRUGS

(By Universal Service)

New York, Feb. 26—Sara Graham-Mulhall, author of a widely-read treatise on the narcotic question, in a radio talk broadcast yesterday in connection with national narcotic week, deplored the extent of the international drug traffic, as shown by the advisory committee's report submitted last June to the council of the League of Nations.

"The report pointed out that data at the disposal of the committee for keeping in touch with the traffic is insufficient," she said. "It also showed that the quantity of drugs manufactured is considerably in excess of medical and scientific requirements. The present situation appears to be serious.

"Every public spirited citizen should do his individual part toward creating a public opinion which will demand the four next steps which the advisory committee on opium and other dangerous drugs says are urgently needed."

Miss Graham listed these four steps as follows:

1—The various countries should quickly ratify the agreements made in 1926 in order that all the machinery of control proposed by the 1924 world conference of 35 nations may be brought into operation.

2—All nations honestly interested in seeing drug addiction made impossible should require that their reports to the League of Nations on the traffic be prompt and complete.

3—The countries should pass laws making it illegal to insure or to pay insurance on consignments of drugs destined for illicit purposes.

4—All nations should recognize that prevention of traffic is a police job and should attack the traffic through the law enforcement departments of the countries and not through the round-about channel of diplomacy.

The alleged power to charm down insanity, or ferocity in beasts, is a power behind the eye.
—Emerson.

MORE TEACHERS NEEDED, SAYS DEAN CHASE

By Associated Press.

More teachers rather than a restricted enrollment is the solution to Dean George H. Chase of the Harvard Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, to the problem of an expanding student body.

Reversing the recent trend of opinion in some of the larger universities, Dean Chase, in his annual report to President A. Lawrence Lowell, declared:

"In view of the present demand for teachers and research workers in many fields, due to the remarkable growth of colleges and universities and the expansion of business, it would be a pity to diminish the supply at the source."

Dr. Chase pointed out that while between 1875 and 1909 668 doctorates of philosophy and science were granted by the school, the number increased to 543 between 1916 and 1926.

After pointing out that holders of the degrees are representative of every State in the Union and Provinces of Canada, as well as a dozen countries of Europe and many other parts of the world, Chase said:

"Through such a wide distribution of its doctors, Harvard University exercises a powerful influence over methods of instruction and research, and the training of these men is surely one of the most important services performed by the university."

MARY WELD WILL MARRY SUMNER PINGREE MAR. 26

Miss Mary Weld, daughter of the late Dr. Charles G. Weld, who was one of New England's distinguished surgeons, will be married to Sumner Pingree of Ermita, Cuba, on Saturday, March 26, in Trinity Church, Copley square.

Pingree is the son of Mrs. John H. Randolph of Havana, Cuba. He is a member of the Brevoort Club of Boston and well known in this city. Engagement of the couple was announced early in December.

Best of Week

MRS. J. T. DONOVAN

Dorchester woman has been adjudged the best "Happy Home letter" of the week. It is published in today's Boston Evening American.

Week's Best Letter on "Happy Homes"

"And while, with care, our mother laid
The work aside, her steps she stayed
One moment, yielding to express
Her grateful sense of happiness
For food and shelter, warmth and health,
And Love's contentment more than wealth."
—Whittier's "Snow-Bound."

THE key of family happiness is Love's contentment.

Happiness is a peaceful state of mind. Those who think it can be obtained through material wealth alone are chasing rainbows.

The happiest families are those in which the children are considered to be true wealth. Their mothers are akin to Cornelia, the mother of the Gracchi, whose children were her jewels.

A disintegrating force in family life today is the mad scramble for empty luxuries. We see it all about us. Family happiness is being undermined by a feverish discontent.

SIMPLE PLEASURES BEST.

The beautiful Flower of Contentment requires the soil of simple desires and pure gladness at our neighbor's welfare, and a hoping that in due time our hard work will receive its reward. Such a soil produces a sense of resignation, the feeling that there is a divine compensation and that, after all, the simple pleasures are the best.

And it needs the sunshine of godliness; of that simple faith which gives heartfelt thanks for the smallest favors bestowed by Providence, and prays that the same blessings may be bestowed upon others. "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of Heaven."

The petals of the Flower of Contentment are red, significant of the love of God and neighbor.

BANISH JEALOUSY.

It covets the rain of self-sacrifice. Mutual service, co-operation and unity of action are good for the family, just as they are good for society.

It demands the constant raking out of the weeds of jealousy and petty quarrelsomeness, in order that its growth may not be choked.

It requires, finally, the nourishing elements of sensible discipline and the most patient perseverance, hoed diligently about its stem in order that it may reach that maturity which we call Family Happiness.

(Signed)
MRS. JAMES T. DONOVAN,
No. 507 Washington street,
Dorchester.

HAPPY HOME CONTEST

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scribes herself as "a contented wife and mother." It is apparent from her letter that she is striving earnestly to obey the Divine command to "Love the Lord thy God with thy whole heart and with thy whole

soul, and thy neighbor as thyself."

The Editor of the Evening American is waiting for YOUR views on these lively and most important subjects.

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RUSSIANS DEFY ENGLAND

By H. R. KNICKERBOCKER, International News Correspondent.

Moscow, Feb. 26—Russia today responded with indignation at the "haughty" tone of the British note protest warning the Soviet authorities to discontinue fomenting anti-British agitation in China.

Hundreds of thousands of persons attended protest mass meetings at Moscow, Leningrad, Kharkov, Nijni-Novgorod and Rostov, and in these populations interpreted the British communication as a threat of war, and responded with resolutions asserting Soviet Russia's preparedness for all eventualities.

The Red army garrisons at Kharkov and Moscow passed a resolution declaring:

"Let the English bourgeois know that the Red army is ready at any time to repel an attack. We instruct our government to explain to the proletariat of the haughty English rulers. We have been and will be on the side of the workers of China. Lord Curzon did not scare us; neither shall Austen Chamberlain."

Mayor Lowe's Wife Dead

Pittsburg, Feb. 26—Mrs. Anna R. Lowe, wife of Mayor Joseph A. Lowe of this city, died today at her home, No. 5 Atlantic avenue. She had been ill for a long period. Before her marriage to Mayor Lowe thirteen years ago, she was Miss Anna Kimball of Wakefield.

NAB 'BROKERS' AT CITY HALL

While hundreds looked ... police today rounded up twenty-six men in the crowd of "curbstone brokers" ... the sidewalks in the vicinity of City Hall Annex every Saturday, selling everything from bonds to stables in the air.

Each will be questioned in court Monday morning, charged with obstructing the free passage of ... ic in and around Court street.

Save stamps and money by buying your furniture through the Classified Ads. Classification 118.

ENGLAND WANTS INDIAN NAVY

London, Feb. 26 (U.N.S.)—Proposal for a new arm of the British navy were officially announced today.

The British government will ask Parliament to start a new creating the royal Indian navy, in which Indians trained as naval officers and seamen will serve. This navy would be available for the use of the British Admiralty when a state of emergency is declared.

The government, it is stated, has received some dominion replies on President Coolidge's disarmament proposals, but its reply will be held up until all dominions reply.

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You, the policy-holders, have accumulated assets of more than 1¼ Billion Dollars. This money plus your future deposits and compound interest will eventually provide for payment of the Company's obligations to you and your beneficiaries.

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The United States Government fixed $10,000 as the insurable life-value of American soldiers and sailors in the Great War, *mostly young unmarried men who had been earning small incomes or none at all.*

Recently, according to the *New York Times*, the American Statistical Association declared that the money value of the average American life (including children and adults who earn no income) is $17,500! *As an income-earner, the value of your life is much greater.*

Consider the capital required to produce income from interest. At 5% it takes $24,000 to yield $1,200 a year—$100 a month.

Nylic Is Your Investing Agent

The fund of more than 1¼ Billion Dollars is invested in accordance with the strict requirements of the laws of the State of New York; and it plays a substantial part in the development of the nation's farms, homes, railroads and public works.

As policy-holders, you practise thrift. You *invest* soundly and safely. Your money will be available to you and your dependents, impressed with emergency-power, at a time when it will be needed most.

That is what Mr. Hughes meant when he said, in the address to which I have just referred, that a life insurance policy was the best guardian of the purse that had ever been discovered.

Small Average Policy

Your total insurance is impressive; but if you divide it by 2,220,784, the number of policies, you will find that the size of the average policy is only $2,590.

Of course, some members have more than one policy; and many of you are also insured in other companies. But the great majority are UNDER-INSURED, as you will see.

How Much Insurance is Needed?

The answers to the following questions will enable you to measure your insurance needs: What is the minimum income you will require in your old age, or if you become totally and permanently disabled; and what is the smallest annual income your family could manage on if you were taken away?

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How much will it require to settle your estate—to pay your debts, mortgages, and taxes, including the federal and state inheritance taxes?

How much cash will be needed at your death, or the death of your partner or an official of your company, to stabilize credit or to enable surviving partners or stockholders to acquire the deceased associate's interest in the business and carry on?

Your Program

You probably have a program, because you are insured; but how does your program stand today? How far short is it of the safety mark or the mark you are aiming at? May I suggest that you figure it out for yourself, or call in one of our Agents to help you work out a plan suited to your needs, so that you may feel secure as to your own and your family's future.

DARWIN P. KINGSLEY, *President*

Financial Summary, January 1, 1927

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Real Estate; First Mortgage Loans on Farms, Homes and Business Properties	$440,388,584.62	Insurance and Annuity Reserves	$1,003,297,782.00
Bonds: U. S., other Gov'ts, States, Cities, Counties, Public Utilities,	583,984,590.22	Dividends payable to Policy-holders in 1927	54,535,527.00
R. R's, etc.	242,692,691.20	All other Liabilities	102,448,175.76
Policy Loans, Cash and other Assets	$1,267,065,866.04	General Contingency Funds	106,784,381.28
Total		Total	$1,267,065,866.04

Total Income in 1926.....$295,341,937.98

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SHANGHAI NOW ARMED CAMP

Hongkong, Feb. 26 (A.P.).—The American destroyers Pruitt and Muggia left Hongkong today for Shanghai.

Shanghai, Feb. 26 (A.P.).—Shanghai was an international armed camp today, with troops of Great Britain, France and Italy ready for action should the Chinese factional warfare be drawn too close to Shanghai's international settlement.

Offshore, riding at anchor, United States war craft, carrying 2,400 blue jackets, waited, ready to land the force only in event of danger to American lives and property in Shanghai.

Into this warlike atmosphere the Northern Chinese poured a stream of troop trains from Nanking, carrying soldiers under the command of General Chang Tsung Chang, War Lord of Shantung Province, rushing to the aid of the shattered forces of Marshal Sun Chuan-Fang.

U. S. DRY FILES TAMPERED WITH, SAYS LA GUARDIA

Washington, Feb. 26 (A.P.).—The charge that prohibition files have been tampered with to exclude a certain letter from Judge Francis Cooper of New York to R. Q. Merrick, an enforcement officer, was made in the House today by Representative LaGuardia, Republican, New York. The letter LaGuardia said, would definitely implicate Judge Cooper in a conspiracy to trap liquor law violators. The House Judiciary Committee is hearing charges by LaGuardia who seeks the judge's impeachment.

DISMISSES $50,000 SUIT AGAINST M'ADOO'S SISTER

New York, Feb. 26 (A.P.).—The $50,000 alienation suit brought by Mrs. Thelma Helms Fortor, a daughter of Hermann Helms, chess expert, against Mrs. Nona MaAdoo Fortor, a sister of William G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury and son-in-law of President Wilson, was dismissed today by Supreme Court Justice Bijur for lack of prosecution. Suit was begun in May, 1925.

BAR KLAN FROM NO. CAROLINA

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 26 (U.N.S.).—The Ku Klux Klan and other secret organizations were virtually outlawed in North Carolina today when the House unanimously passed the Johnson "unmasking" bill.

The House approved the bill almost as speedily as the Senate did earlier.

The bill will have to go to conference because of two amendments offered in the House by Representative Rideout of Rowan, which would exclude the Moose and labor organizations from the bill.

The bill prohibits the organization or operation of secret orders in North Carolina, and makes membership in such an organization a felony punishable by imprisonment.

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was today identified by three victims of the town's latest Back Bay "doorway thug" as the man who robbed them at the point of a pistol in their doorways. Other victims are to confront Kenney today.

With Kenney's capture police believe the reign of terror that has engulfed the Back Bay district for several weeks has been dispelled. Several days ago the "politeness bandit," Harry Watts of Cambridge, was caught.

MORRIS MUSCLE SHOALS PLAN WINS APPROVAL

Washington, Feb. 26 (U.N.S.).—The Morris resolution, providing for government operation of Muscle Shoals for ten years, and authorizing $12,000,000 for putting the plants in shape, was approved today by the Senate Agriculture Committee.

TWO IDENTIFY MEN IN MAIL LOOT TRIAL

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her head, the girl rose and stood facing the witness.

Q.—Didn't you ask that girl to marry you? asked Attorney Eaton.

Rowalski hesitated and was palpably nervous. It was some little time before he finally muttered the single word "No."

Another witness, Mrs. Mary Meserve of Salisbury, identified William Hovanesian, driver of the car in which the robbers escaped, as having been at the scene of the crime.

Witnesses already had testified that Boyd and the younger Andrews were the robbers who boarded the Amesbury train at Newburyport and, after holding up the baggagemaster and a trainman, leaped from the train with the $13,000 payroll pouch, just as the train was passing Bartlett's Crossing.

DRIVER OF CAR.

William Hovanesian, driver of the robber car, who has turned State's evidence, also has testified that he and the elder Andrews lay in wait with the automobile, near the crossing, the automobile hidden in the brush and that after the robbers leaped from the train, all three fled to Nashua.

Today Mrs. Meserve offered testimony to corroborate that of the driver of the robber machine. She testified that on the morning of the robbery she left her home, intending to take a trolley car to Amesbury. She walked down Cushing street to the railroad.

Q.—Did you see anyone there? A.—Yes. As I was walking near the tracks I saw a man standing near the bushes along the railroad.

Q.—Do you see that man in court? A.—Yes.

At the request of the Assistant United State District Attorney, the witness stepped from the stand and pointed out William Hovanesian as the man.

Q.—What was he doing? A.—Just standing there.

Q.—What did you do? A.—I turned around and walked back.

SEEN AT CROSSING.

Mrs. Meserve said she could not see where the brush at the side of the roadway had been disturbed and that after she passed she never saw anyone at the crossing.

Omer A. Olson, interior decorator of Nashua, identified John Andrews at Bartlett's Crossing, at the time of the robbery. Olson said he left his home in Nashua the morning of the robbery, going to Newburyport and then boarding the train for Amesbury and from which the money was stolen.

Q.—Where did you sit, A.—In the first cross seat in the combination smoker and baggage car, which was in this car the actual robbery occurred?

Q.—What were you doing between Salisbury and Amesbury? A.—Looking out the window.

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At the right, Ruth King, stage and screen star, is wearing walking pajamas. They are of orange crepe de chine with a coat of blue and orange kasha.

Below, Miss King is sporting lounging pajamas, a pretty flowered vari-colored crepe, trimmed with fringe. Breakfast pajamas look well on Miss King at the right. They are of blue satin with rose and pearl trimming.

All photos by Acme

INSULL DEFIES COMMITTEE

Washington, Feb. 26 (A.P.)—Samuel Insull, Chicago utilities operator, his attorney, Isaiah J. Schuyler, and Thomas W. Cunningham, of Philadelphia, will be invited by the Senate most week for contempt by the Senate campaign funds committee.

Insull refused today to answer any questions as to $65,000 he contributed to the Cook county campaign in the Illinois primary two years ago. He stated that all of $472,000 contributed by him to influence the nomination of Pepper for United States Senator was borrowed from the Commonwealth Edison Company, one of those under the control of the Compania Chicagoan de which Frank L. Smith, now Republican, was chairman.

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The dense blanket that settled over the harbor the last two days enabled Miss Bertha Krosnic of Hungarian descent to see no more to Hungary today (it a ride of a mile or two in the fog, the sailing of the Hamburg-American liner Wisconsin from Commonwealth Pier.

The bound had sailed many times from Boston when Miss Krosnic, with Captain Hilary Nise in tow, boarded the vessel, but on each occasion rumor hints could not be found. They decided to put back.

In the meantime, frantic efforts to find Miss Krosnic, mentioned as the only lady passenger, were renewed. Her friends and a social reporter in town all searched in vain.

Then the steamship Wisconsin, bearing Miss Krosnic, steamed up the harbor and docked at the Commonwealth pier.

From the moving vessel Bertrand's thrift was swung out, revealing within a large quantity of fog. Customs officials, mystified as to the subject's nationality, ordered the bag opened.

Out tumbled Miss Krosnic, scarred but unbowed.

QUINCY WOMAN MAKES $22,500 PUBLIC BEQUESTS

Bequests of $22,500 to hospitals and other institutions, and $12,000 to relatives and friends are contained in the will of Mrs. Lucy M. Wilson of Quincy, which was filed in Norfolk Probate court today. The rest and residue of the estate is left to her brother, Frank Gardner Smith of Brookline.

The Quincy City Hospital is left $5,000; Evangeline Home, Quincy, $5,000; Boston Floating Hospital, $5,000; New England Home for Crippled Children, $5,000; King's Daughters and Sons Home, Dorchester, $1,000; Charitable Circle of King's Daughters, Quincy, $500, and $500 each to the Women's Alliance and the Pregnant Society of the First Parish Unitarian Church of Quincy.

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28,000 Motorists of State Delay to Save on Insurance

Massachusetts "pioneer compulsory automobile insurance law is keeping thousands of dollars from the State's coffers, more than 28,000 motorists who had registered their machines this time last year having failed to take out a 1927 license and its attendant insurance policy.

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MOTHER DENIES DAUGHTER WED

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very dear friend. That is all, and that is why he remembered me in his will.

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Henry Hummel, a bakery wagon driver of South Portland, Me., and who claimed to be Abe Hummel's son, fought for a share in the estate, but finally settled out of court. He was said to have taken $1,750 in settlement.

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Where to Go AFTER THE SHOW

Read the "Where to Dine or Dine and Dance" Announcements On Page 13

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Yes, Indeed, She's Genuine.

Elena Jardo, who plays "Carmen of the Philippines" in "What Price Glory" at the Majestic, is the only Filipina now appearing in the films. Despite the fact she has been in many pictures, this is the first time she has portrayed a native of her own land.

STAGE AND SCREEN

Stage Hand Turns Author.

George Williams, the property man at B. F. Keith's, who has been on the job since the day the playhouse was opened, has brought [illegible] a specialty of his running [illegible] one week, a series of his experiences [illegible] twenty years in Vaude-

TWO STUDIES IN SHARPEST SATIRE ARRIVE TO CHEER THE PRE-LENTEN DRAMA

"ON APPROVAL," a drama of the kind of folks who can afford the time to quarrel before breakfast, begins at the Tremont Monday. Violet Kemble Cooper and Hugh Wakefield are two principals of the cast.

"YOU MUST COME OVER," is the pleasant invitation of Mildred Brown. "We are moving 'Queen High' across the street to the Shubert and will be 'at home' to all paying guests there for the next three weeks or so." And that, as another comedian says, clears up everything.

SOME VACCINATION: As the widely travelled Captain Flagg in "What Price Glory," Majestic Victor McLaglen has the names of his lady friends deeply engraved on his memory. They are his "International Relations." Dolores Del Rio wonders!

THE MAIN SQUEEZE in "Charm" at the Hollis is Kenneth Dana's clean-up finish to a romance with Doris Laurence at the end of the second act. Ken plays an awkward boob who becomes a "power with women"—maybe.

COMEDY LAYS HARD HAND ON AUTHORS

By NICHOLAS YOUNG.

PITY the poor author whose faith and prayers are lifted high for the glory of clean comedy. His life, according to authentic report, is a harrowing nightmare of abandoned hopes and wretched despair. Myron Fagan, a builder of many comedies, all of them spotlessly white, draws these tragic conclusions—reflections, you might call them, based upon his own vivid experiences trying to keep the drama pure and sweet. It is true that Mr. Fagan has done very well in his own way, but candor and sympathy compel him to wipe it away a trickling tear for the other boys of the craft who have toiled nobly only to be smothered under an avalanche of the so called "dirt" plays.

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FIGURED in plain mathematics, as Mr. Fagan puts it, a comedy of today may hope to win success only upon an overwhelming excess of laughs and situations. Just smart comedy, well written, will not do; there must be at least 70 per cent. more grins, giggles and guffaws than was necessary to catch the public ear five years ago. He modestly gives his own sparkling comedy, "The Little Spitfire," the full benefit of these higher figures, explaining therewith a seven months' run in New York and a more than happy reception here at the Plymouth. Other spirited affairs which would have been roaring successes a few years ago have not been able to weather this season's storm of begrimed and nasty drama. "Competition with sex and sanct," Mr. Fagan declares, "has borne down heavily upon the dramatist who places his trust in theatrical virtues. To hold his own in these perilous days, the writer of comedy must build better and more brilliantly than ever before, because the actual demand for clean comedy, by all the signs of the theatre, is steadily sinking while the call for suggestive plays is expanding."

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A SAD state of affairs, you'll admit, but true, insists Mr. Fagan. And it is particularly distressing because stringent censorship is almost certain to follow in its wake. By taking the view that producers, for the most part, are blameless and are merely endeavoring to supply what the public wants, Mr. Fagan boldly throws reproach upon the playgoer. "Authors, too, are innocent," he cries out. "At heart they are simple children following the line of least resistance. Naturally they prefer beauty and freshness to filth. But what can they do? They must sell plays or face hunger; the baby must have shoes and every author's wife expects furs and an occasional new motor. That settles the playwright, for he writes to sell and he is bound to write what will sell."

AND now Mr. Fagan asks you to give the honest actor a clean bill of health. "More than anybody else, unless it is an author," he exclaims, "the actor detests dirty plays. But unless he stands at the top of his profession he has no choice of parts. He must accept engagements as they come, especially if a producer meets the salary requirements. Inwardly and privately the player nobly takes a high moral attitude, but you must always bear in mind that seasons are short and employment is hazardous. Like the poor author, the actor is just another unwilling victim of the popularity of 'dirt' plays." Upon which Mr. Fagan departed hurriedly for the South Station.

THE VETERAN'S PRIZE

"CORPORAL KATE" is Vera Reynolds, to be seen next week at the New Boston in a film treatment of the women's side of the late conflict. Kenneth Thompson is the lucky recruit.

Not Dangerous

CAROL HUMPHRIES, tarefully fixed in the hilarious difficulties of attaining marriage in "Honeymooning on High." (Park).

DOLORES IS OPTIMISTIC

Dolores Costello, seen at the Metropolitan in her first starring picture, "The Third Degree," last week, a Pollyanna, but she thinks that this old world is getting better.

She couldn't help but think so, she explained, when she made "The Third Degree," which is based on Charles Klein's melodrama, which did so much to change the inquisition methods used several years ago by the police.

"The idea back of the picture appears to me to reflect humanity's changing attitude toward the wrongdoer," Miss Costello stated. "Surely there is a growing tendency to look back of the crime for the causes which made the individual an enemy of society. Heredity, environment, mentality—all seem to be more fully explored before the culprit is condemned.

Dolores cast a sidelong glance at Michael Curtiz, the noted European director, who was one of a group gathered for a preview of the picture. The Austrian at first shook his head dubiously, and then said: "When we look back at the day of the wrack and the thumb-screw, and of the Iron Maiden and of witchcraft, slavery and a thousand other expressions by which man's inhumanity to man has been exemplified, I suppose the world is getting better."

Keith's Renovated Bijou Resumes Shows Today

B. F. Keith's Bijou Theatre, which has been closed for redecoration, reopens today.

Its interior has been entirely changed as to color, carpeting, lighting fixtures and other points of adornment and it now follows along the lines of the most modern theatres in this respect.

One of the most important changes for the comfort of patrons in the new stage and screen. This part of the house has been remodeled to conform with modern methods of moving picture presentation. The stage has been moved back and a new screen built into it that will give the pictures a projection that is as near perfect as it is possible to obtain. The entire orchestra floor has been lowered to bring the projected picture to the proper level of the eye and the balcony seating has been rearranged so that the screen is now viewed from any seat with equal clarity.

NEXT WEEK'S NEW BILLS

TREMONT—"On Approval," a comedy by Frederick Lonsdale. The story is drawn around the subject of trial marriages, with new and amusing complications. But four persons act the play—Wallace Eddinger, Violet Kemble Cooper, Vera Neilson and Hugh Wakefield. Staged by the author and Athole Stewart; settings by James Reynolds. Produced by Charles B. Dillingham.

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WILBUR—"Americana," a fantastic revue by J. P. McEvoy. A symposium of sketches satirizing everything American—its art, its business and its music. A revue that emerges from beaten paths. In the cast are Lew Brice, Roy Atwell, Evelyn Bennett and Charles Butterworth as leaders; also many lesser personages. Music by Con Conrad, Henry Souvaine and George Gershwin; scenery by John Held, Jr.; staged by Allen Dinehart. Produced by Richard Herndon.

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ST. JAMES—(Stock) "Let That Off," a comedy by Don Mullally. A story of three boys and a girl who undertakes to fill the place of a mother to them. The consequences are what you might expect—amusing and romantic. The principal parts are taken by Florence Shirley, Walter Gilbert and Charles Schofield. Staged by Mr. Schofield.

Danny Duggan and Dance Contest At Olympia

Danny Duggan, tournament dancer and all-round native son, is appearing at the Washington St. Olympia for a week. Duggan made his start in Boston as an exhibition ballroom dancer and soon leaped to fame in vaudeville. He is assisted by his pretty partner, Ann Mayer, but how long she will stay with him is a question for Danny has already lost five charming partners in as many years to Cupid. The Misses Twins, however, are still with him and Roy Waltz the Australian Xylophonist.

Danny Duggan

The Olympia is conducting a dance tournament in connection with this act.

"Prettiest Shop Girl" Seen In New Loew's State Film

From shop-girl to screen actress is the lot of Barbara Kent, who appears with Greta Garbo and John Gilbert in "Flesh and the Devil," new film at Loew's State.

Miss Kent was born in Canada, and came to Hollywood with her parents. She won the title "Miss Hollywood," in a newspaper contest for the prettiest shop girl, and this won her a comedy.

Clarence Brown, director of "Flesh and the Devil," saw her in the comedy and at once proclaimed her a discovery. She has an important role in this film.

Barbara Kent

'SUNNY' DISPOSITION

MARILYN MILLER, as Cartoonist, Schmidt finds her, whirling away to long run records at the Colonial. Being a miller's daughter, the whirling comes very easy.

Pursued Bride

DEVIL CONCEAL, "The Little Spitfire" herself, no less pleasant by spatting for all comers these days at the Plymouth.

LOCAL GIRL AT PARK

From the classic harem months ago, when John Harvard instituted his famous "Americana" as a burlesque of erudition in American charges of the mauve decade, the Lew Brice and Hamphreys, the Roy Atwell and Evelyn Bennett have been burlesquing on Harvard now at the Park.

There is so much comedy to any one of the several curios in Americana" that it is not strange that Lew Brice finds in Ford Sterling in his a comedienne. To Sterling a real feminine vanity are easy to deal her material to get from a stock company, so on the subject of the Ford Sterling Girl is enrolled with a stock company of New Bedford.

Here she served a wide range of parts, even including old women roles, but she made them funny. She showed her real training with the inevitable Bathing Girl song in burlesque, which was a medley of so many prominent players of the stage, notably Katherine Cornell. Miss Humphreys regretted her big hit on the stage and quite always spoil Mephisto in the farce "Lady Fair Off." In this she so delighted Broadwayites that she was slammed "a genius," derived from the terminology of those who indulge and win in the indoor sport jointly called "galloping dominoes."

Looking Ahead

MARCH 5—
Bebe Daniels in "The Kiss in a Taxi" at the Metropolitan.

MARCH 7—
Alice Brady in "Lady Alone" at the Plymouth.
Chatot's Revue at the Park.
"Macbeth" at the Repertory.
John Barrymore in "The Beloved Rogue" at Loew's State.

MARCH 12—
Wallace Berry in "Casey at the Bat" at the Metropolitan.

MARCH 14—
"A Little Journey" at Loew's State.

LOCATES THE AUDIENCE'S FUNNY BONE

Roy Atwell is master of comic nonsense in "Americana," the revue by J. P. McEvoy which comes to the Wilbur Monday. Mr. Atwell is also master of comedy, having the several thousand nights of years of experience to draw upon. His audience laugh is a guarantee of his success.

Roy Atwell

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Can't Get Ahead of Frank.

"Why is a rabbit's nose always shiny?" coyly asks Julia Sanderson of Frank Crumit in "Queen High". The big boy never hesitates. "Because, my dear, my powder puff is on the other end." Indicating that ukulele practice is good for the mind.

STAGE AND SCREEN

Back to the Old Home Town.

For those who delight in the musical treats of the modern picture palace, it is announced at the Met that Violinist Frederick Fradkin, former concert master of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, will give a short program in the week's new show.

BEST BITS OF FILM CLIPPED FROM THE REELS OF THE NEW WEEK'S SHOWINGS

A SLIP OR A STEP IN? This is the puzzle for Rockliffe Fellowes, the lad who Escreeth at the lingerie department. To the silk-clad Dolores Costello this intrusion is but another of the sorrows of satin in "The Third Degree" at the Metropolitan.

HANDLING HIM WITH GLOVES! In "Flesh and the Devil" at Loew's State Marc McDermott hands John Gilbert the "mitten" because there's something between them—Greta Garco, who sees visions of pistols and coffee to come.

THERE'S NO TELLING what this joke may be. The poet Goethe wrote very few snappy lines in his immortal masterpiece, "Faust." But this one is good for a laugh with William Dieterle and Camilla Horn. The film shows at the Orpheum.

ROW OVER VOW seen in this post-breakfast scene from "Marriage," Modern and Beacon film of H. G. Wells' story of the sanctity of the hastily given nuptial promises. The principal contestants are Virginia Valli and Allan Durant, a promising newcomer.

'ON APPROVAL' IS FINALLY DELIVERED

"On Approval," Lonsdale comedy at the Tremont, is one of those

Frederick Lonsdale

Lawrence Schwab

'QUEEN HIGH' MOVES TO SHUBERT

Lawrence Schwab's "Queen High," successful farce with Frank Crumit and Julia Sanderson, will move from the Selwyn to the Shubert next Monday, having worn out its welcome at the Selwyn after a run of 16 weeks. This means its popular star—at the Selwyn it was Ruth Weston—will be absent during the Lenten season, when the Selwyn is dark, but will return to the Selwyn when the Shubert becomes dark again. Other members of the company will remain with the show, which will be seen at the Shubert for the first time on Monday night, March 7.

"Queen High" has been playing to capacity business at the Selwyn for the last few weeks, and the announcement that it would move to the Shubert was received with considerable surprise by the theatre-going public. The Selwyn management, however, explained that the move was made necessary by the fact that the Shubert was the only theatre available for the show, and that the Selwyn could not afford to lose the profitable business it has been doing.

FILM FARE FOR NEW WEEK

METROPOLITAN—(Starting today) Dolores Costello in "The Third Degree" (first run), adapted from the Charles Klein opera play. A police melodrama dealing with the forcible methods used to obtain confessions from alleged malefactors. Also in the cast are Louise Dresser, Kate Price, Jason Robards, Rockliffe Fellowes and Holmes Vavitch. Michael Curtiz directed. A Warner Brothers' picture. On the stage, Boris Petroff's "Paper Revue."

LOEW'S STATE—John Gilbert and Greta Garbo in "Flesh and the Devil" (first run), adapted from Hermann Sudermann's novel, "The Undying Past." Romantic drama of sociological conditions of the Old World hanging on traditions of love and marriage. Also in the cast are Marc McDermott, Lars Hansen and Barbara Kent. Clarence Brown directed. A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture. On the stage, Adler Weil and Herman, "Five California Humming Birds," recording stars.

OLYMPIA—(Starting tomorrow) Billie Dove in "An Affair of the Follies" (first run), adapted from Dixie Willson's story, "Love, Face, Brother." Comedy drama of the troubles of a chorus girl and a married wage earner. Also are Lewis Stone, Lloyd Hughes, Louise Stone and Arthur Stone. Millard Webb directed. A First National picture. Also vaudeville.

NEW BOSTON—(Starting tomorrow) Vera Reynolds in "Corporal Kate" (first run), adapted from the story by Zelda Sears and Marion Orth. Human interest yarn of woman's side of the World War, with heavy laughs and romance. Also in the cast are Julia Faye and Kenneth Thompson. Paul Sloane directed. A Producers' picture. Also vaudeville.

MODERN AND BEACON—(Starting today) "Marriage" (first run), adapted from the novel by H. G. Wells. Domestic drama dealing with the sanctity of the nuptial vow. In the cast are Virginia Valli and Allan Durant. William Neill directed. A William Fox picture. Also "Rodeo Tex" (first run) with Harrison Ford and Bessie Love. A Producers' picture.

FENWAY—(Starting today) Margaret Morris in "The Magic Garden" (first run), adapted from the Gene Stratton Porter novel. Boy and girl romance. Leo Meehan directed. An F. B. O. picture. Also "New York" with Ricardo Cortez and Estelle Taylor.

Starting Wednesday, Richard Barthelmess in "The White Black Sheep." On the same bill, Corinne Griffith in "The Lady in Ermine."

Benefit Show for Theatre Men

Abraham Coplen

Hugo Lundgren

Frank D. Orvitt

William C. Nixon

The annual benefit performance of the Boston Theatre Treasurers' Club will be held on Friday afternoon, March 11th, at the Colonial Theatre. Stars from all the attractions in Boston will attend and be presented to the audience by Jack Donahue, of "Sunny," who will be master of ceremonies. The benefit has always been a sell-out.

The range of entertainment which will be provided is wide. Drama, musical comedy bits, dances, colorful ensembles, and various other types of amusement will be put on by leading actors and actresses in the city.

The biggest and most popular stars have agreed to take part. Friday afternoon was selected because none of the big legitimate houses have matinees on that day and all the most talented performers will be able to appear and contribute specialties.

Persons in the amusement field have a warm spot in their hearts for the Theatre Treasurers' Club. The proceeds of the performance will go to a fund maintained to aid the sick among its members and to aid those in distress.

The money will be handled by the officers of the organization, as follows: William Nixon, Shubert Theatre, President; Frank D. Orvitt, Tremont, vice-president; Hugo W. Lundgren, Shubert, treasurer; Abraham Coplen, Gaiety, secretary, and J. Albert Brackett, counsel.

VARIETY AND PICTURES

SQUARE — Margaret Nolan in "The Magic Garden" and vaudeville.

WALDORF — (Burlesque) "Give and Take," farce comedy with Abe Reynolds and Phoebe Hillson. Also pictures and vaudeville.

GAIETY—(Burlesque) "Watermelon" revue with Garland Howard, Speedy Smith and Mae Brown.

HOWARD—(Burlesque) Evelyn Cunningham and her big revue, with Fred Rich and girls. Also pictures and vaudeville.

DOWNTOWN SQUARE—Alec Francis and Lois Moran in "The Music Master." Kinetiscope Congress pictures and vaudeville.

Noted Garden Sets Scene For New Scollay Film

A noted garden will has been used as the background for "The Magic Garden," film version of the novel by Gene Stratton Porter, which is the feature picture at the Fenway this week.

This scientific piece of work is the work of Mrs. Dorothy Dunbrook Valley, Miss Porter's friend. The garden scene is luxuriant both in color and in detail. Mrs. Valley states, however, that she was unaware of the extensive research she was undertaking when she began the elaborate scheme of the five acres. From impressions seen in print in "Good Housekeeping" she evolved the scheme.

CHANGES IN VAUDEVILLE

LOEW'S ORPHEUM—Jim, Toney and Ann Norman in the latter's comedy skit. "A Man About Town"; Hal Willis and Hazel MacFarlane in the singing and dancing act, "Dancing Pirates"; Frank Cook and Jean Vernon in the comedy act, "Oh, Amy"; West, Gates and Haines, "Dispensers of Hilarity," in a comedy dance act; Lillian Morley and Rae Leader in "Songs a la Carte"; Achilles and Newman in "Old Greek Pastimes," and others. The feature photoplay is "Faust," with Emil Jannings.

B. F. KEITH'S—Will Mahoney, "nut" comedian; Madame Hamilton Fairfax' "Forecast of Fashion," display of wearing apparel accompanied by Joe Rines' orchestra; Conan, English ventriloquists, in his act called "Whitehall"; the Dodge Twins in songs and steps; Bobby O'Neil and company in a miniature musical comedy called "Oh, Bobby"; Norsetto Ardelli, Italian-American tenor; Carleton and Ballew in songs; the Janowsky troupe of acrobats, and others.

Virginia Valli Sets New Style In Evening Gown

Virginia Valli sets a new style in evening dress in the film version of the novel, "Marriage," by H. G. Wells, with a beautiful gown of silver brocade. It is from the Modern and Beacon.

This gown, especially designed for Miss Valli, is severe as to lines and accentuates her regal bearing. It is made with an extremely low, round bodice cut in a V in back and front and with a wide bouffant skirt that slightly shortens in front.

The bodice is cut very low and is lined with coral taffeta and the dress is trimmed with wide bands of rhinestone at the belt and around the neckline.

With this gown she wears a severe head-dress of silver and rhinestone.

"Faust," Cinema Triumph, Will Show at the Orpheum

If you bet your life to live over again!

That question has occurred to every thoughtful woman at some time, and must eternally recur. It is a question that can never be answered in life. But in motion pictures, in "Faust," for instance, an answer is provided.

Old Dr. Faust sells his soul to the devil in exchange for his youth, a wish which he lived solely for knowledge, and allowed "life" to pass him by.

How he spends his regained youth is one of the outstanding elements that has made "Faust" a deathless piece of literature, a magnificent grand opera and, as a photoplay, one of the greatest accomplishments in the cinema world. The film will show next week at Loew's Orpheum.

Amusements Amusements

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Amusements Amusements

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Freak Eases Tired Stomach.

Upon no less an authority than Arthur Keller, news booster for "Sunny" at the Colonial, the sword swallower in the circus scene has been forced to take up dietetics. He is reported to have turned against swords and will eat only pins and needles.

STAGE AND SCREEN

Now Engineer in Dramatics.

An engineer is an engineer, according to B. F. Witbeck, producer of "The Little Spitfire" at the Plymouth. Having made a success of chemical engineering, it was easy to adapt similar scientific practices in producing a good comedy for his friend, Myron Fagan.

BOSTON BEAN FAVORED IN WAR FILM

Mexico is represented by Dolores Del Rio in "What Price Glory," the war comedy now at the Majestic. London's embassy is Victor McLaglen, and Los Angeles has several native sons in the cast. But New England may claim an actor of note in the film the contented region Baked Bean!

According to Laurence Stallings who wrote the story, and Raoul Walsh, who made the picture, baked beans are the last word when it comes to really cementing international relations. Diplomats may converse, statesmen may confer, but it is the lowly Boston bean that really does the job.

Anyone who has been in the Army can tell you all about beans, and in one of the scenes in the photoplay, Private Lipinsky and Private Kiper, knowing no French, are desperately attempting an entente cordiale with the feminine inhabitants of a village just behind the front.

When all else fails, they gloomily sit down to consume their heaping dishes of beans. Thereupon a pig, derously upholstered, but by no means unlovely flaxlie damsel appears and snatches one of the delectable delicties. She smacks her lips, she takes another, and in six seconds times, she is seated between the two wondering leathernecks, scooping up beans by the spoonful, and bestowing upon the bewildered privates not only her most gracious glances, but also one black quart bottle that contains practically anything you choose to name save water.

WHAT'S WHAT With Shows REMAINING

By NICHOLAS YOUNG

"The Little Spitfire" at the Plymouth. (Second week.) Good old family stuff, highly spiced. The last week.

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"Charm" at the Hollis. (Second week.) Sex appeal developed while you wait. Hilariously funny.

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"Honeymooning on High" at the Park. (Second week.) Haunting spirits pester an eloping couple with great success. The last week.

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Marilyn Miller in "Sunny" at the Colonial. (Eighth week.) A little of everything good in musical comedy.

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"Queen High," moving from the Wilbur to the Shubert. (Thirteenth week.) Something to be taken with a grin and a chortle.

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"What Price Glory" at the Majestic. (Seventh week.) Two men and a girl make the late war something to remember.

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"The Ghost Train" at the Copley. (Tenth week.) Still adding joy to playgoers and profit to Mr. Clive.

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"Quality Street" at the Repertory. (Second week.) One of the most delicious of the Barrie love stories.

FAIREST OF FAIR IN SHOWS OF THE WEEK

EVELYN BENNETT, who will be seen Monday at the Wilbur in J. P. McEvoy's satirical, kidding revue, "Americana."

MARGARET MORRIS, than whom there is none more soothing in all filmland. You will find her in "the Magic Garden." (Fenway).

KATHLEEN WALLACE will help you to "Laff That Off" all next week at the St. James. It's a funny little show, too.

NAN MARRIOTT-WATSON appears in "The Ghost Train" at the Copley, Mr. Clive's most profitable record-breaker.

Maria Jeritza Comes to Symphony Tomorrow

Maria Jeritza makes her only appearance of the season at Symphony Hall tomorrow afternoon. The prima donna of the Metropolitan Opera Company will sing two operatic arias in addition to a program of songs. At her only previous Boston concert Mme. Jeritza filled Symphony Hall to capacity, and created a favorable impression, with a beautiful voice and equally beautiful stage bearing.

Maria Jeritza

Among her numbers for tomorrow are "Il est doux, il est bon," from Massenet's "Herodiade"; "In questa Reggia," from Puccini's "Turandot"; "Vissi d'arte," from Puccini's "Tosca"; "Dich, teure Halle," from Wagner's "Tannhauser"; "Ocean, Thou Mighty Monster," from Weber's "Oberon"; "Depuis le jour," from Charpentier's "Louise"; "Ritorna vincitor," from Verdi's "Aida"; "Pace, pace, mio Dio," from Verdi's "La Forza del Destino"; "Un bel di vedremo," from Puccini's "Madame Butterfly"; "Habanera," from Bizet's "Carmen"; "Voi lo sapete," from Mascagni's "Cavalleria Rusticana"; "Ave Maria," from Schubert, and "Vissi d'arte," from Puccini's "Tosca."

War Hero Discovered As Extra In New Film

Perhaps one of the most unusual "finds" among props of a motion picture studio was made recently when Vera Reynolds, starring in "Corporal Kate," new film at the Keith-Albee Boston, discovered the army pistol assigned to her had notches on the handle, and the initials "Lt. L. B." carved deeply above the notches.

"Lt. L. B.," it was learned, was working as an "extra" in the production and he explained the pistol's origin and the notches. He was given wide publicity during the war for his bravery, but said that he did not wish to have his name used in connection with any story because of his present circumstances.

The pistol left his possession when he was severely wounded just before the signing of the armistice and reverted back to the government.

WERRENRATH CONCERT.

Reinald Werrenrath, well liked baritone, will give a Symphony Hall Sunday afternoon, March 6, for his only Boston appearance of the season.

BOSTON GIRL IN "CHARM"

Courage and persistance plus capability are seldom so successfully capitalized as they have been by Mary Walsh, one of Boston's fair daughters, who is seen in the ingenue role of "Charm," at the Hollis. The long and discouraging rounds of the theatrical agencies was not for Miss Walsh because she was fortunate enough to have her chance while studying in Boston at the Emerson College of Oratory during her senior year presenting his popular play, "The Fool," and as a means of directing unusual attention to the engagement during its run, the project was entered into of having capable Boston amateurs play the parts in a special performance to which the public would be invited.

Mary Walsh

More than 300 applicants stormed the theatre and Mr. Pollock saw the opportunity to be enlisted in the unusual cast. There was more than the mere experience of playing a part, because Mr. Pollock offered contracts to the capable applicants giving them the same part they played in one of the many road companies sent out in "The Fool." Miss Walsh was successful in landing the role of Mary Margaret, the little crippled girl of the play.

Strangely enough, Miss Walsh was the only member of this company of amateurs to so impress the author that she was offered and accepted a contract to play her part. She accepted and was soon to the role in the number one company throughout the entire following season.

SHERIDAN RECITAL.

Frank Sheridan, pianist, will appear in concert at Jordan Hall Tuesday evening, March 1. His program includes a group of 18th century compositions.

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BISHOP WILSON SAYS DRY LAW WILL LAST

Another series of articles by makers of public life, speaking for and against prohibition, is presented here. Today's article, written by Bishop Luther B. Wilson, declares that the opportunity of a son is no justification for its repeal. He urges more drastic enforcement.

By LUTHER B. WILSON
Resident Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church

New York, Feb. 26.—The eighth amendment to the Federal constitution was formally and legally adopted and ratified. As this no amendment can be raised. It is now generally held that this bridge has existed for more than a half century, but for more than a half century there had been an organized, militant, well financed and well led movement to destroy the bridge. This movement was not content with open attack, as enlightened democracy of war times would demand that it had been so long engaged in the defense of every evil and unrighteousness to every civil commotion and human need since man began to walk erect and think down to the unbroken past. It was not ashamed to take cover behind the bridge it was trying to destroy.

The day came when the enemy felt secure enough to take off the mask of the Anti-Saloon League and the Congress of Women's Organizations was at the head of parliament, and made the laws of the land. The mask was off, but yet its wearers

THE SEVEREST TEST.

This is assuredly the severest test to which any amendment or statute has ever been subject. The object of every criminal movement is to destroy the law. The nation will not long tolerate any law that is not enforced. The test of enforcement is determined by the attitude of the people toward the law. If the people are not behind the law it cannot be enforced. With the facts and statistics before us, we are constrained to say that it is impossible to enforce the eighteenth amendment. It is not to be maintained that a popular referendum, as for instance, in New Jersey, would vote against the law, but it is maintained that a group in control of legislatures, and in many cases of governors, and most of the courts, can nullify any law that is unpopular.

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To insist that the unpopularity of a law is a warrant for its repeal is to take ground which cannot be maintained.

ILL NOT LOWER.

The political economic sentiment to determine the value of holding or contract is mostly immaterial. If gold is high, it is because of war and extraordinary buying [illegible] For investment dissent against a law on the ground that it is unpopular is not to be justified. It is not to be justified to say that it is impossible for contract or investment to be made in view of the fact that the law may be repealed. It does not believe that the laws will desperately have the added strength that a law which will enforce that a land which prohibited existed in the world [illegible] to the pain [illegible]

LAWYERS CLASH OVER GARAGE PERMIT APPEAL

[illegible] of counsel today featured the concluding session in the appeal case of Magnolia George J. Nolan of a decision of the board of aldermen granting a garage permit to Joseph Mostoli, Jr., to operate at No. 952 Huntington avenue. Judge Thomas F. Quinn presided in the court room.

Mostoli's attorney, Martin Stark, [illegible] for Miss Edith Barrett, Attorney Charles E. Gallagher, counsel for Miss Gallagher, contended that the Mostoli garage was not a public garage, nor a commercial garage, but a garage for the storage of [illegible] Boston, and was therefore [illegible]

WOMAN SENTENCED FOR THEFT OF WATCH

[illegible] guilty [illegible] of a watch valued at $100, the property of Mrs. Ethel B. Hall, of Brookline, [illegible] guilty and was sentenced to [illegible] Mrs. Hall testified [illegible] and was found [illegible]

U. S. PIDGEON'S AUTO CRASH CASE CONTINUED

The case of Dr. Eva A. Pidgeon of Arlington, charged with [illegible] an automobile driven by her husband, Dr. Harry A. Pidgeon, while [illegible] was continued [illegible] Monday Municipal Court [illegible] Dr. Pidgeon [illegible] Dr. Pidgeon's wife [illegible] was [illegible] and was found [illegible]

MAILOR DIES OF GAS FROM PRESSING IRON

John Johnson, thirty-one, a sailor [illegible] was found on the floor of his room, with gas flowing from an unlighted pressing iron, by James Calder, janitor of the building.

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RICH PIKE CAN'T CUT TIE WITH ERRING WIFE

Jersey City, N. J., Feb. 26 (A. P.)—Vice-Chancellor John Bentley denied a decree to Colonel Pike of East Orange from divorcing Pauline Pike of Paris, a Broadway revue.

Pike, who is on the expert witness list in the Fall River murder case for whom Pikes Peak was named, married the then [illegible] in December, 1922, [illegible] was short-lived.

Stating Pike had proved two acts of infidelity on the part of his wife, Vice-Chancellor Bentley said that since the [illegible] had been condoned by [illegible] he refused to give her relief. He added that the [illegible] [illegible] initially she was [illegible]

Pike's contention was that the presence of his wife at Stony Brook, where she was formerly [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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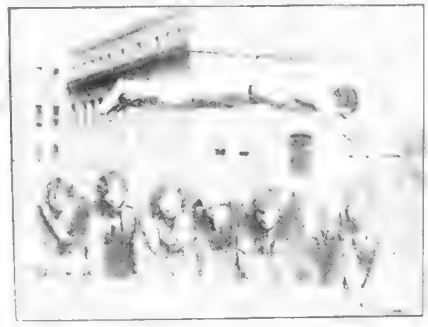
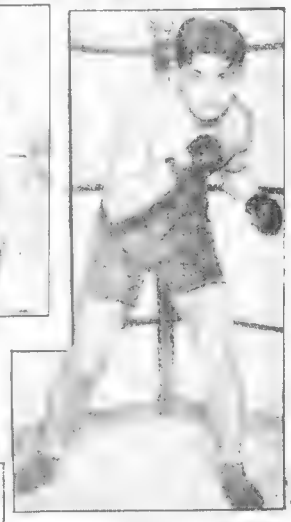
SECOND SECTION

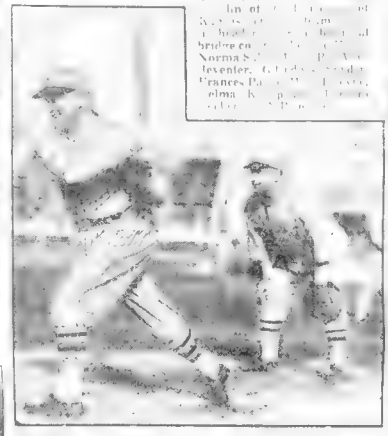
Triangular Meet Holds Centre of Stage Tonight

RED CHAPMAN of Chelsea and Dorchester, who clashes with Sammy Fuller in a near-title bout at the Arena Monday night. There has been a world of interest aroused by this tussle.

300 STAR. Harold N. Yavner, stellar all-around athlete of Dorchester High School, who will run in the 300-yard dash at the B. A. A. inter-scholastic track meet this afternoon. Yavner is favored to win this event in fast time. 400 schoolboys will participate in this annual festival



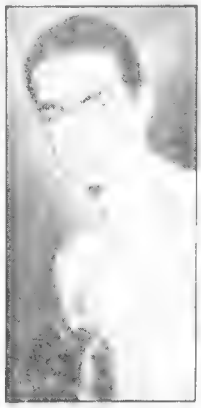




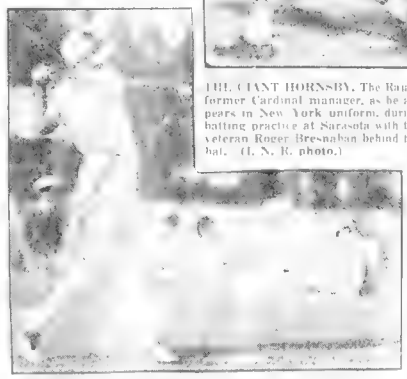
FANCY DIVING. Women champion of [illegible] and Massachusetts, Broadmoor Athletic Association, bridges on [illegible] Norma S[illegible] Devereux. Other [illegible] Frances Pa[illegible] Thelma K[illegible]

SAMMY FULLER, the Pride of the North End, and the other half of the Chapman-Fuller neat title bout to be put on at the Arena Monday night by the Suffolk A. C.

RECORD-BREAKING RECORD BREAKER. Monty Wells of Dartmouth and Winthrop, who has broken the 22-year-old record of 6 seconds in the 45-yard hurdles so many times this Winter that most people have lost track of them.



LIKE FATHER, LIKE SON. Thomas Duffy, whose father is the present mayor of Woburn, and former lightweight boxing champion, is himself striving for fistic honors in the featherweight class among the amateurs.

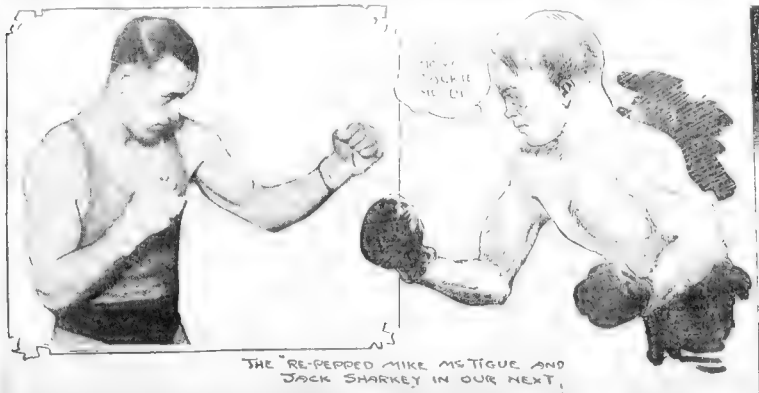


GRACEFUL AND EFFICIENT. Miss Beatrice Gottlieb, golf champion of the New York City public links, is shown teeing off during a match in the Florida State Women's Golf tourney at Palm Beach. Miss Gottlieb appears to be the epitome of grace. (International Newsreel photo.)

THE GIANT HORNSBY. The Rajah, former Cardinal manager, as he appears in New York uniform, during batting practice at Sarasota with the veteran Roger Bresnahan behind the bat. (I. N. R. photo.)

PASSING CHAMP. This is Bob Agnew of the Undine Barge Club of Philadelphia, who will relinquish his title of National single sculls champion to Walter Hoover, who has held the honor before. (I. N. R. photo.)

WHY SWIM IN WATER when you may swim in love?" asks Miss Ethelda Bleibtrey, champion Olympic swimmer, who has given up her art for Fred Houch MacRobert, a New York attorney. They were recently married. (I. N. R. photo.)



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I HEARD HIM TELL SOMEONE TODAY THAT AN APIARY IS A MAN THAT RAISES APES
SAID GOOD NIGHT—TOLD THE WIFE I'D BE IN AS ONLY A ONE GAME
HE THINKS MARIETTA OHIO IS A DRESS MAKER
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BIG TRAIN PULLS INTO TRAINING CAMP

BOB SMITH IS LONE BRAVES HOLDOUT

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Havana Entries

Langford to Get $75 a Month

New York, Feb. 26.—Sam Langford's plans to start a pugilistic training camp in New England, were upset when the State Athletic Commission approved the establishment of a $500 trust fund for the protection of a recent ban under which the former negro heavyweight will receive $75 a week.

HOW TO WIN AT BRIDGE

HARVARD BASKETEERS AND MAINE PLAY TONIGHT

SPORTS

By NICK FLATLEY

Sharkey Confident Good Quality | *McTigue a Mystery Now K. O. Artist*

CONFIDENCE SHARKEY'S MIDDLE NAME

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 26 Jack Sharkey, in the finishing whirl of his training for his big scrap with Mike McTigue next week, pauses to announce that he knows he can win. That is considered sufficiently important as a matter of news to be displayed prominently in papers throughout Florida.

Confidence is young Mister Sharkey's middle name. It is a quality that may carry him right up to the roof. The former sailor sincerely believes that he can beat Maloney, and then polish off Gene Tunney. It will be hard to knock that belief out of his head.

Nick Flatley

Jack has the same weight advantage over Shrewd Michael, that Maloney enjoyed in the Delaney war. It helped James mightily, and will aid Sharkey if the going in the early rounds is anything like even.

McTigue just now is one of the mysteries of the ring. For years and years he was a defensive fighter, tricky and crafty. But he didn't like to mix. He never tried to flatten his opponents. He was content to tangle them up, and win decisions.

Suddenly he snapped out of it. Startling purses were held up for heavyweights, and Mike decided to go after them. He began to kayo his enemies. His last victim was Paul Berlenbach, who used to be a rough, tough customer. Paul was whaled right out of the picture in very short order.

Sharkey will be no Berlenbach, though. Oom Paul was punched out. He had been through too many gruelling battles. His style was to let the other fellow tire himself out, and then, bam! That style is all right, but the boxer who practices it has to take plenty of punishment. He gets punched drunk after a while.

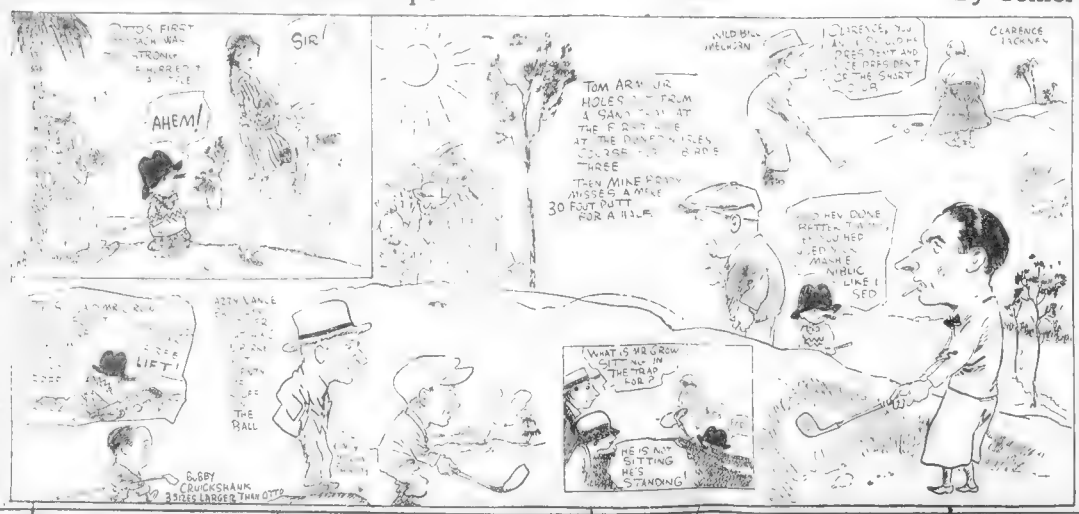
Sharkey is young and strong, and one of the fastest of all the big boys. He has never been beaten up. He has the vitality of youth, and a vanishing ambition. It may be a hard fight to watch. McTigue is an annoying enemy, who knows more tricks than a conjurer.

But the Boston entry will be in there with something to shoot for, and his only handicap will be the fact that he's favorite. Even in these days, a favorite has to win once in a while.

Woodland to Have Two New Holes

By BILL GRIMES

Otto Grow Enters the Florida Open — By Collier


OTTO'S FIRST OPPONENT WAS STRONG ENOUGH TO BE MARRIED
SIR!
AHEM!
TOM ARMOUR HOLES A LONG PUTT AT THE FIFTH HOLE AT THE DONEGAL GLEN COURSE FOR A BIRDIE THREE
THEN MIKE FOLEY MISSES A MERE 30 FOOT PUTT FOR A HALF
WILD BILL MELNIKAN
CLARENCE, YOU AIN'T GOT NOTHIN' ON THE DEPARTMENT OF THE SHORT GAME
CLARENCE TICKMAN
HEY DUKE, YOU'RE BETTER THAN THAT FOR HER AGE
MAYBE NIBLIC LIKE I SED
WHAT IS MR GROW SITTING IN THE TRAP FOR?
HE IS AIN'T SITTING HE'S STANDING!
AZTEC LANCE
SEE LIE!!
THE BALL
BOBBY CRUICKSHANK 3 SIZES LARGER THAN OTTO

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60 YARDS RUN—Trial Heats
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RELAY RACES—(3)
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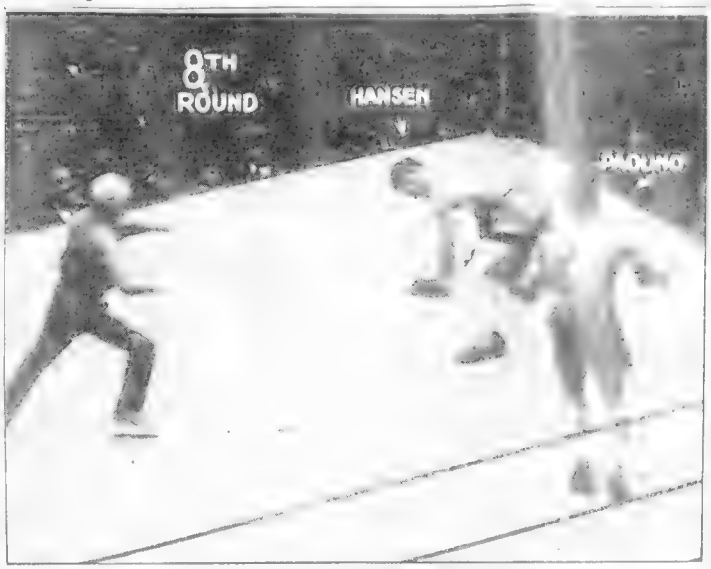
BASQUE USES HANSEN FOR CHOPPING BLOCK



PAOLINO POUNDS MINNESOTA BATTLER

Paolino Uzcudun, or what have you, called at different times the Tiger of the Pyrenees and the Basque Woodchopper, proved to be no flop at all when he eliminated Knute Hansen of Minnesota in Mr. Tex Rickard's heavyweight elimination tournament. The Spaniard won the decision at Madison Square Garden last night in a hard ten-round bout. This picture shows Hansen taking a short count on his knees in the eighth round. Paolino belted him and he half slipped and then dropped to his knees. (International Newsreel photo.)

DORCHESTER IN FIRST PLACE IN ICE LEAGUE

Hard Fight for 'Tri Honors in Mechanics Building Tonight

By TED CHANDLER

TONIGHT when the Mechanics Building clock tells the wor

PAOLINO DUE TO MEET MALONEY MARCH 25

CHAPMAN OUT FOR HONEYBOY FINNEGAN

Nelson and Wolgast Meet Tragic Fates

—By Jack Conway—

MR BOSTON

TIGERS FACE R. I. REDS AT ARENA

By TED LYNCH

Suzanne and New Manager in France

Havre, France, Feb. 26 (A.P.)—Suzanne Lenglen returned

Maloney to Box Risko in April

SIX NASHUA PLAYERS SIGN UP FOR 1927

RESULTS OF SOCCER GAMES PLAY IN ENGLAND

IRISH RUGBY TEAM DOWNS SCOTTISH CLAN

Scotch Beat Irish

DERBY ENTRIES ANNOUNCED

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 26 (I.N.S.)—Entries for the Kentucky Derby

Golf Notes

MR. BOSTON

Battling Nelson Freed of Film Theft Charge

Butte, Mont., Feb. 26 (A.P.)—Battling Nelson, former heavyweight champion, today stood cleared of grand larceny charges in connection with the disappearance of some showing the fight in which he lost his title to Ad Wolgast seven years ago.

The film, which disappeared while Nelson was appearing in vaudeville here in March, 1926, was returned to Pantages theatre management here, he secured a warrant charging the former champion with grand larceny. It arrived by express from Williston, N. D. The sender gave the name of Bill Dixon.

On learning that Nelson had been released on the personal bond of a Chicago hospital for observation, Sullivan announced he would drop the charges. Sullivan said he was not interested in the identity of the shipper and that he was through after he secured the return of the film.

BOUTS LAST NIGHT

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The Magazine Page

Private Dance Music

AT a hotel in Berkhampstead, twenty couples danced to music that could not be heard by the spectators. The music was broadcast, and the dancers carried their own receiving sets, equipped with small, inconspicuous headphones.

Attractive Ways of Preparing Stew Meat

"You Said It, Marceline!"

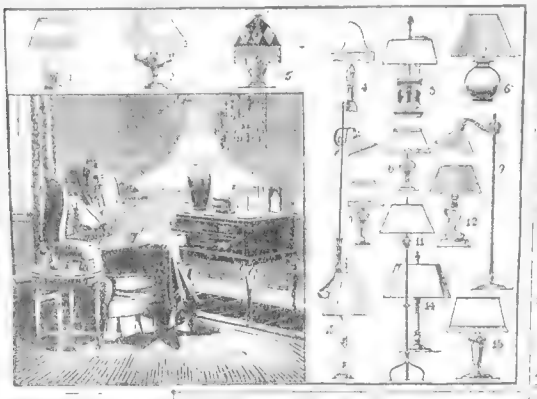
On "Mother Eve's Legacy"

By Marceline d'Alroy

All women can ACT. It is a LEGACY from Mother EVE. She acted NATURAL and made a Lot of TROUBLE, but a CLEVER WOMAN who has learned ... AVOIDS TROUBLE.

Furnishing the Home

By Marian Moore



Two Factors Cause Tuberculosis

By Chas. A. L. Reed, M. D.,

Work Promotes a Healthy Mind

By MARIA JERITZA

Girls who are confined indoors all day will find that a brisk hike or a swim is more restful than sitting about doing nothing after business hours. Mixed business interests her nerves, mind and body by throwing all her mental energy and physical vigor into it.

You need both a vocation and a avocation in life to keep well-balanced, happy, healthy and beautiful. You need both work and play.

But in addition to work and recreation, every woman needs rest—relaxation—plenty of it—if she is to retain her best looks.

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Correct Manners

"MAN'S BEST FRIEND"

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Man-Eating Ants

A LAND where ants eat men was recently discovered on the Mamore, one of the great tributaries of the Amazon, according to Cecil Gosling, formerly Great Britain's Minister to Bolivia.

Fiction Page

This Day in History

ON February 26, 1815, Napoleon Bonaparte made his escape from the island of Elba [illegible] exiled. He again [illegible] army, [illegible] Battle of Waterloo and was then exiled to the island of St. Helena.

The HOLLYWOOD GIRL

by BEATRICE BURTON
Author of "The LOVE WRECKER"

Adventures of a Girl From New England in the Movie Colony

READ THIS FIRST

BOBBIE RANSOM is a Dedham school teacher, "movie-mad." For years she has been dreaming of going to Hollywood to break into pictures. And now, at 22, she makes up her mind to go.

She asks her father, a widower, to lend her $500, but he refuses. Bobbie threatens to ask her lover, ANDREW JEFFERSON, for the money, much to the horror of her spinster aunt, MISS GERTRUDE RANSOM, who has been like a mother to her all her life.

That night Andy drives up to see her, in one of the "used" automobiles that he buys and sells very successfully. Bobbie asks him to lend her some money. He refuses. "Why should I give you the money to throw away with?" he asks. "Stay away from me—when I want you to stay here and marry me."

The next morning, Aunt Gertrude comes home from church with the news that a certain MRS. BURRAGE is going to California to visit her health and is considering taking along a teacher to care for her little girl, JEAN. Aunt Gertrude tells Bobbie that Mrs. Burrage mentioned asking Bobbie to go, and while she is speaking, the telephone in the hall rings. Bobbie rushes to answer it, sure that it is Mrs. Burrage.

Andy Jerrold is blue about it when she breaks the news to him, and she tells him she hopes that as soon as she is gone, he will find some other girl and fall in love with her. She means it too. Her feeling for Andy is one of warm friendship and nothing more.

(NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

CHAPTER V.

He did not try to kiss her. He

B[illegible] too [illegible] week the [illegible] used to the

[illegible] Aunt Gertrude [illegible] Bobbie's trunks were [illegible] at home and the radio [illegible] and her card parties, and—"

"Hello, Bob," she said, excessively [illegible] and her card parties, and—"

"I'd just die living like that"

[illegible] ere." "the word for it."

Even Though His Senses Swam He Kept His Voice Steady

[illegible] Mr. Ransom and Aunt Ger[illegible] at home and the radio [illegible] Bobbie's trunks were [illegible] late to change your [illegible] Aunt Gertrude an[illegible]

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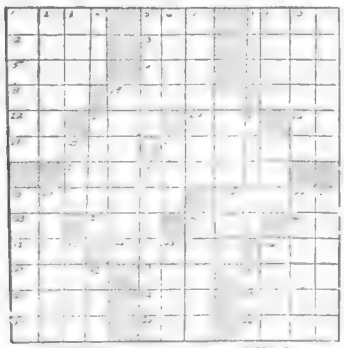
Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

Anticucation in Miniature



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VERTICAL

TOASTS PAINED
ENTIRE ARREAR
ACE APT MARRY
ME SPIRE TO
DO AISLE BE
SCOLD MAE PEA
HOLDER UTTERS
ART AIL SHONE
ME ARBOR IN
YE STAGS SO
ADORE SIR ALA
FARINA DOLLER
TWEEDS ISWEETS

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BRINGING UP FATHER

Jiggs Meets the Former Ambassador

By George McManus

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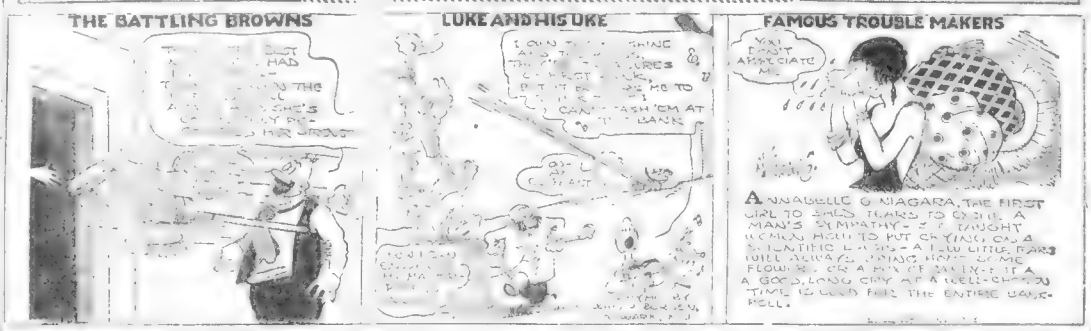
By Rube Goldberg



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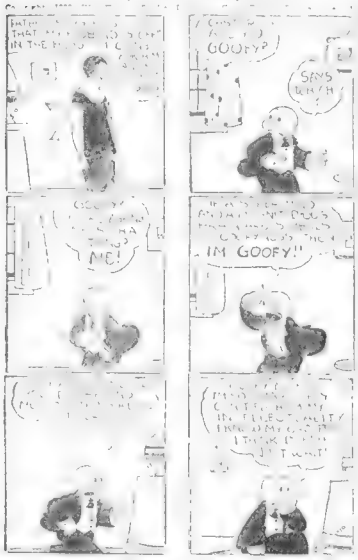

"BE IT EVER SO HUMBLE, THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME"

SKIPPY

A New Business

By Percy Crosby

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DAILY SHORT STORY

THE BETTER MAN

By L. M. Blake

Miss HYLAND studies her mirror more than you do of Carl L[illegible]s or Harriet McNulty?" [illegible] handsome, if you ask me, and up-and-coming as an electrical engineer. So, you must see I'm not choosing."

"Is this a proposal, Harria?"

"Yes. Think it over. Be sure in your own heart that you love me. I know how I feel about you."

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY

Mrs. Grink Gives Another Lecture

OO, I LIKE BEANS UNCLE BOB!
HUH? THERE'S SOMEBUDDY AT TH DOOR WONDER WHO 'TIS...
HOK HOK!
IT'S A GOOD THING I DROPPED IN! THE IDEA OF GIVING THE CHILD BEANS - WHY THAT'S THE MOST INDIGESTIBLE THING YOU COULD GIVE HER!
- WE - WE HAVE 'EM RIGHT OFTEN
THAT'S JUST AN EXAMPLE OF WHAT I MEAN WHEN I SAY YOU'RE NOT COMPETENT TO RAISE ANNIE!
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By Verd

OH BUT GEE UNCLE BOB I LIKE BEANIES!
WELL MRS GRINK SEZ BEANS AINT GOOD FOR ME AN I AINT GOIN TO LIVE ME NOUE - WELL HAVE TO FILL UP ON THIS SALT PORK
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KRAZY KAT

Slight Error—By HERRIMAN

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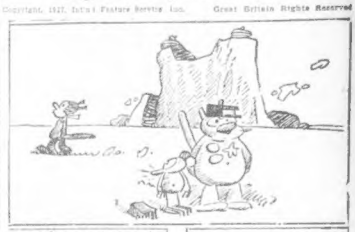

POLLY AND HER PALS

Ashur Pays—and Pays

By Cliff Sterrett

US BOYS

Skinny's Too Heavy to Lean

By McNamara

NO MATTER IF THE WHOLE WORLD SAYS YOURE GUILTY, I KNOW YOURE INNOCENT AND WILL STAND BY YOU TO THE BITTER END!
GET AWAY FROM ME NOW, YOU'RE TALKIN' FOOLISH!
HOT DAWG! KISS HIM EMILY - G'WAN!
OH SKINNY DEAR PLEASE PLEASE BELIEVE WHAT I SAY, LET ME BE A LIGHT TO LEAN ON IN THE STORM
HAH?
SHES GOIN NUTS!
A FINE PICKLE YOU GOT ME IN BY SAYIN I KNOW SOMETHIN ABOUT WHO LOCKED YOU UNDER THE USELESS BROOM NOW EMILY'S PESTERIN THE LIFE OUTA ME!
THIS IS KITH GUESS HE KEEP IT GOIN
POOR SKINNY! — WHAT A LIFE, WHAT A LIFE!

ABIE THE AGENT

Classified

By Hershfield

OWNING A RESTAURANT IN A CHEAP DISTRICT AIN'T NO CINCH = YOU GOT TO SHOW WHO'S BOSS!!
HERE COMES A FRESH CUSTOMER = I CAN ALWAYS TELL THEIR KIND
WAITER = HOW ABOUT SERVICE!!
NOO NOW I GOT TO TELL HIM!
I'M IN A HURRY
YOU GOT TO WAIT YOUR TURN = THERE ARE OTHER PEOPLE HERE, JUST AS UNIMPORTANT AS YOU ARE!
HERSHFIELD

MEDBURY SAYS---

By JOHN P. MEDBURY.

A GIRL is trying to have her fiance arrested because she discovered he's engaged to seven other women. She's silly to alarm herself. As soon as the rest of the women find it out he'll probably give himself up.

EIGHT fiances are a lot in any town.

BUT you can't blame a guy if love comes to him wholesale.

IF a fellow has a few extra engagement rings there's no sense in wasting them.

ROMANCE is a wonderful thing, even at retail.

ANY man who has eight sweethearts may be a cad, but he's also a genius.

IT takes a lot of nerve and twice as much ability.

THE average fellow is willing to start in with two or three.

IF you manage to fool those then you can gradually work your way up.

NO man should overload his checkbook.

STILL, eight fiances gives a fellow a sweetie every day in the week and an extra one for Saturday and Sunday.

THERE'S nothing like carrying a spare.

A MAN in Chicago was engaged to as many girls that he had to take them out two at a time.

HE had over $50,000 outstanding in jewelry.

HE needed some cash last month and it took him three weeks to call in all his solitaires.

HE got most of them back, but there are still a couple of girls in Kansas that he hasn't heard from.

LOVE is everybody's privilege.

A man can be engaged to as many women as he feels like. It's only when he starts marrying more than one of them that he begins getting into troubles.

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THE BEST JOKE I EVER HEARD

The Boston Evening American will pay $1 for "Best Joke" published. Address "Best Joke Boston Evening American.

A young fellow called on a girl and stayed too late, so her dad yelled down from his room: "Time to go, young fellow, time to go!"

The young chap, as he put on his overcoat, said: "Your father's cranky."

Then the old man yelled down again: "Well, young fellow, don't you need a crank if you aren't self-starter?"

Christina Campbell,
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Mahogany cabinet made, 2 pieces, mahogany twin bed set, odd chairs. See Classification 110.

(For the names and addresses of the above advertisers and scores of other opportunities, see today's American and Advertiser Classified Ads.)

Make your home cozier with some new furniture from today's Classified Ads. Classification 110.

BOBBIE AND HIS PA

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

I GUESS this warld is about as high up the mountain of Noledge as it is going to git, sed Ma last nite. We were speeking about that sutjeck at our Wimmens Club this afternoon, sed Ma.

I am glad you daime haf it all out & dried, sed Pa.

Doant you think we are right? sed Ma.

Hardly, wife, sed Pa. This old warld is still only partly Sivilized, Pa sed. A short time ago, sed Pa, I went into the reeding room of a swell club to wish I belong to, sed Pa, & there was ten men setting in that reeding room, sed Pa. One of them was reeding Emmerson's Essays, sed Pa, & the other nine men was reading the reetums of the Dempsey & Tunny fite, sed Pa. They was supposed to be big men, those club members, sed Pa, & that is how sivilized we are, sed Pa.

But you must reemember that it was a man't club that you are speeking of, sed Ma. If you had gone into a ladys club you wud of found them speeking about grate topicks of the day, sed Ma. Wimmen are always looking upward, sed Ma. I doant know why, but they look up to wile men look down, sed Ma.

Well, sed Pa, I know why if you doant. They got that way, sed Pa, looking up at men's superiur intellekt, sed Pa, wile men dident haf any supeeriurs to look up to, sed Pa so they had to look down at wimmen, sed Pa. Ha, Ha,

Ha, ha, is rite, sed Ma. That is about the stillest speech I ever herd you malk, sed Ma. The vary idee of you trying to put wimmen on a lower Plain than men, sed Ma.

Why, sed Pa, doant you adder-mit that wimmen knows less than gents? sed Pa.

I adder-mit nothing of the kind, sed Ma. Some of the keanest brains that was ever on this Plannit was in the heds of beautiful wimmen, sed Ma. How about Madam D. Stale? sed Ma, & Feeby Cary & Felishy Heemans & a lot moar that I cud mensh'un? sed Ma.

Oh, I doant say thare nevver was any braney wimmen, wife, sed Pa, kind of quick. I only sed that the averidge lady looked up to the averidge gent as a gennerll thing, sed Pa & I may be rong at that, sed Pa, it is just my noshun.

It is the saim noshun the rest of the men hold, sed Ma. For thousans of years men has gone along thinking they are the Briter Sects, sed Ma, & for thousans of years wimmen has made them look like Dodos, sed Ma, & they nevver knew it wile they was getting the work, eether, sed Ma.

Maybe they aint smarter than wimmen, I sed, but boys is smarter than girls, our teecher sed so & she is a gurl teecher, too, I sed, only she is a pritty old kurl.

I daent know just who is the smartest & who aint but I haf got a hunch that nobody aint so terribul smart in this world, there is a Heep we doant know a awful Heep.

SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

The Boston Evening American will pay $1 for published smart sayings. Address "Smart Sayings," Boston Evening American.

"Pop, I'm quitting school tomorrow."

"Why, Sonny, don't you like your teacher?"

"Naw. Yesterday she told me seven and two was nine, and today she said it was eight and one.

GEORGE H. WILKINSON,
No. 28 Lindsey street, New Bedford.

THE MEDITATIONS OF A WIFE

By HELEN ROWLAND

WHY are men afraid of women?

* * *

Before marriage, man lives in the fear of every woman's smile; after marriage he lives in the fear of one woman's frown.

* * *

A little boy flees in terror from women for fear they may try to kiss him; a grown man flees in terror from women for fear they may try to marry him.

* * *

At the altar it is not the bride, but the bridegroom, who trembles and stumbles and goes weak in the knees. It is not the bride, but the bridegroom who requires a bracer and six ushers to get him to the church!

* * *

After marriage, a man's fear develops into a positive COMPLEX! If the average husband bore an Indian name it would be "Man-Afraid-of-His Wife."

* * *

And the nicer and better and more successful the husband, the more he is afraid. A bullying husband is nearly always a lightweight, a doolittle, or a mental, moral and financial pee-wee.

* * *

When a man does anything of which his wife might disapprove, he trembles at the thought of what she may SAY. Yet nothing frightens and paralyzes him like her dead silence!

* * *

"Men were deceivers ever!" But men do not set out deliberately to deceive women. They are simply afraid to tell any woman the TRUTH!

* * *

The worst women on earth will hesitate to lie to the man she loves. But the best of men will lie to the woman he loves, sooner than to anybody else on earth!

* * *

It is easier to lie to a woman than to tell her that you no longer love her, or that you have lost your week's salary at poker, or that you left your umbrella at the office, or that you forgot to mail her letter, or that you took your stenographer to lunch, or that you stopped for a drink on the way.

* * *

It is easier to promise to marry a girl, and then sneak off somewhere where she can't get her clutches on you, than to tell her that you are already married, or that you wouldn't marry her on a bet!

* * *

Many a man who rules a vast office force with a rod of iron, all day, is afraid to glance across the room at a pretty girl, or to talk to an attractive woman when his wife is looking on.

* * *

Many a man who handles thousands of dollars and makes a dazzling income, is afraid to spend ten dollars of his own, without telling his wife what he "did with it."

* * *

Many a man keeps two checking accounts; one for his wife's eyes, and the other out of which to pay his poker debts, his bootlegger and his charities.

* * *

Why do men creep up the stairs with their shoes in their hands when they come in late? Why do they chew cloves and "breath killers"? Why do they invent alibis and "sick friends" and "conferences"? WHY ARE MEN AFRAID OF WOMEN?

* * *

Men have always prided themselves on their "horse sense." But a horse has just sense enough to let himself be ruled and buffaloed by a human being one tenth his size!

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Trade Large, Profits Not; Knox Chose Bible and Gun

By B. C. FORBES

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Business is still running in large volume, but complaints of very narrow profit margins are numerous.

The current is running strongly towards harvest. Everywhere you go you hear of small concerns being sold, or about to be sold. Some instances of people who made a fortune years ago, but who have been losing money for the past few years. We must remember that on the average the world is growing richer, and that the laggards are constantly passing into the hands of more efficient managers. But the fact remains that the bigger units have not been showing the profits they should have.

B. C. Forbes

IT MAY interest readers to know that, from the highest authority, confirmation has come of the substantial increase in the value of land recently and recording the size of the Rockefeller holdings. You may recall that Mr. Rockefeller himself has reached a billion dollars. Henry and Edsel Ford are also reported not far behind. Some time ago Henry Ford is not as influential as his father. He is interested in nothing but his own business.

The real source of the Ford wealth, my friend should know, is Mrs. Henry Ford.

A FRIEND of mine, a most shrewd investing politician on the order of William R. Kenan, president of the Beverly Savings Bank of New York, and also head of the Atlantic Fisheries Association.

When the news was discovered a little bit of one side and a patch at the other.

From what one hears the art was not entirely appreciated by Mr. Knox and resulted not in wide-spreading indignant moral suffering because of eminent developments in the bank. The conviction of three employes for theft upset the kindly hearted president of the institution terribly. Then, again, to even conduct a thorough investigation of the bank from top to bottom and this clever crook was found out. But it was not until he did so that the situation at once and the measures from which we all suffer. We never nothing for us to do but to

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VACATION PUTS ME. DIVIDEND DATE AHEAD

By FRANK H. METCOM,
Financial Editor.

We are more or less accustomed to reading that directors failed to declare a quarterly or semi-annual dividend because of lessening or impairing being "on vacation," and that directors' meetings of manufacturing companies, of course, are not run in that way. The case of Boston & Albany Railroad this week is interesting. President Percy H. Swain was in Florida when the directors met and declared the usual dividends on both common and preferred stocks, because it was foreseen they would not meet next month.

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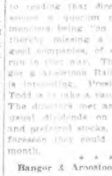
Bangor & Aroostook, serving the products of the lumber industry, was very few railroads that paid dividends regularly through the stress of the World War and also showed a steady increase. Mr. Swain has been president since 1912. He came to New England in 1901, and served as vice-president since the Harvard



G. H. Johnson

During one of the Boston City Hall administrations of years ago, the city refused to let me that it cost more to collect taxes than it received. I ran it myself. He was in favor of their having been abolished as long as the collector George H. Johnson was interested in them. There are no figures available to show how much deficit tax collections as the department expenses are not allocated and how many tax employes are required to assist in each emergency.

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"Previous to 1918 the average collection of taxes was about 93 per cent.; during the next two years a determined effort was instigated to increase the percentage of collections. Then came the civilian tax law of 1919, which provided a period of four years, and due to a particular duty to the auditors, the percentage of collections increased to 97.50 per cent., which gradually reduced to 96.50 per cent. in 1926," he said. "For the four three years due to constant reminders, threats and seizures of property, the collections have averaged over 95 per cent.

"The police department listing is effected on the first day of April and afterward assessed through the assessing department, the warrant for which was issued May 1, and the department lists in June, by which time thousands have moved to other locations. When consideration is given to the fact that the moving population is a necessity in the larger cities, rendering it necessary to follow this constantly changing address, you can see there is a very good showing. This department is of the opinion that the police department and the financial assistance, and follow the changes of address.

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"While on the subject of collections it may be of interest to state that during the year 1926 the cost of collections and cost of collecting $100 per thousand dollars, showing a decrease of $64,634.52 in the cost of collection for the year 1926 as compared with the year 1924-1925 at the rate of that year.

Years	Total Collections	Cost of Collecting
1926	$79,015,479.89	$205,740.24
1924-25 now	86,895,967.02	269,756.86
1923	82,757,778.85	253,727.75
1922-24	82,957,778.85	253,702.00
1921-23	82,957,778.85	253,702.00

* * *

Another New Englander heads an electrical company, and it is one of his own organizing. He is Robert C. Lanphier, formerly of New Haven. The company is the Sanborn Electric Company of Chicago, Ill. President Lanphier is noted as developer of an electric meter.

PARK UTAH LARGEST PRODUCER OF SILVER

Park Utah Consolidated Mines Co. was largest producer of silver in the United States in 1926 with an output of 8,196,842 ounces. The company, whose shares are listed on the New York Curb Exchange, increased in 1926 roughly 40 cents a share on the 2,078,363 shares of stock outstanding as, with prices of metals low, the company concentrated upon development and reduced production. Earnings per share on the annual dividend of 60 cents a share by a safe margin.

Park Utah is not only the largest producer of silver in the United States but is also the largest producer of both lead and zinc in Utah.

HOW THE MOST ACTIVE STOCKS HAVE BEEN SOLD

How the most active stocks have been sold in past week of full market hours (with annual dividends in dollars in parentheses) is shown in following:

	Last Change
100,000 General Motors (\$7)	78½ +1½
282,000 Wabash R. R.	75¼ +1¾
236,000 Int. Harvester (\$7)	140¾ +3¾
178,800 U. S. Steel (\$7)	181 +2½
134,500 P. & Steel w. i.	116¾ +2
130,200 Sinclair Oil (\$2)	31¾ +1¾
117,400 Texas Gulf Sulphur (\$1)	57¼ +1¼
115,600 Radio Corp.	57¾ +1¾
113,400 Hudson Motors (3.50)	65¼ +3¼
106,700 Chandler (\$2)	31¾ +1¾
100,200 Consolidated Gas	93½ +2½
101,800 Atlantic Gulf (2)	49¼ +1¼
101,400 American Can (2)	49¼ +1
94,600 Standard Oil of N. J. (8)	49¾ +1¾
90,000 General Asphalt	88¾ +4¾
84,000 Packard Motor (2)	31¾ +1¾
74,700 Kansas City So.	50¼ +1¼
74,000 Int. Nickel (2)	49¾ +1¾
68,900 Erie R. R.	40¾ +1¾

(Sales of 50 shares or more. Plus signs to stock, not including extras.)

Grains Are Higher

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Grains were helped to a shade firmer today with wheat ¼ to ⅝ cent higher, corn up ⅛ to ⅜ cent and oats ⅛ to ¼ cent higher.

NEW YORK STOCKS

	Feb 26 High	Feb 26 Low	Feb 25 Close
Atlantic R & L.	87¾	87¾	87¾
Atlantic Refining	49¾	49¾	49¾
Air Reduction	134	130	134½
Ajax Rubber	13¾	13¾	13¾
Alaska Juneau	19¾	19¾	19¾
Allis Chal Mfg	94¼	94	93½
Amal Leather	24¾	24¾	25
Amerada	56	55¾	55¾
Am Ag Chem	123½	122¼	123
Am Bank Note	41¾	41¾	41½
Am Beet Sug	25¾	25¾	25¾
Am Brass A	176¾	175¾	176¼
Am Can	146	144¾	145¾
Am Ice Sec	26	26	25¾
Am Int Corp	31¾	31¾	31¾
Am Linseed	102¼	101¼	101¾
Am Locomotive	107¾	106¾	107
Am Metal	23¾	23¾	23¾
Am Power & L	37¾	37¾	37¾
Am Radiator	41¾	41¾	41¾
Am Rolling Mill	53¾	53¾	53¾
Am Safety R	32¾	31¾	32
Am Smelting	148¾	148	149
Am Steel Fdy	43¾	43¾	43¾
Am Sugar	114¾	114¼	114¾
Am Sum Corp	13¾	13¾	13¾
Am Sumatra	47¾	46¾	47¾
Am Tel & Tel	147¾	147¼	147¼
Am Tobacco	144	144	144
Am Type Fdrs	23¾	23¾	23¾
Am Water W	73¾	73¼	73¾
Am Woolen	74¾	73¾	74¾
Am Wool pf	98¾	98¾	98¾
Austin Nich	8¾	8¾	8¾
Atch T & S F	164¾	163¾	164¾
Anaconda	47¾	47¾	47¾
Armour Ill A	14¾	14¼	14
Armour Ill B	14¾	14¼	14
Art Leon	51¾	50¾	51¾
Atlas Tire Rub	8¾	8¾	8¾
Atch T & S F	165¾	165¾	165¾
Atlantic Gf & W	193¾	193¾	193¾
Atlantic Refining	49¾	49¾	49¾
Baldwin Loc	194¼	193¼	194¾
Balt & Ohio	113¾	112¾	113¾
Balt & Ohio pf	86¾	86¾	86¾
Bangor & Ar	56	56	56¾
Barnsdall Cl A	35¾	34¾	33¾
Barnsdall Cl B	35¾	34¾	34¾
Bauk Cigars	55¾	55	55¾
Belding Hem	24¾	24¼	24¾
Bendix	24¾	24¾	24¾
Beth Steel pf	104¾	103¾	104
Bklyn Edison	132	132	131¾
Bklyn Edison.132	132	132	131¾
Bklyn ManRy	70¾	70¾	70¾
Bklyn Un Gas	96	96	96
Bon Ami	84	84	84
Brunswick	117¾	117¾	117¾
Burns Bros	127¼	127¼	128¼
Burns Bros B	26	26	26
Byers	54¾	54¾	54¾
Calum Terms	37¾	37¾	38¼
Butte & Sup	18¾	17¾	18¼
Butte Copper	14¾	14¾	14¾
Cane Thresh	146	140	144
Case Adny Sr	283½	283½	283½
Cal Arizona	65¾	65¾	65¾
Calif Petr	30¾	30¾	30¾
Can Dry Ale	19¾	19¾	19¾
Can Pacific	187¾	186	187
Cayuga Ridge	9¾	9¾	9¾
Cent Leather	9¾	9¾	9¾
Cent Leather pf	97¾	97¾	97¾
Cen Leather pf	83¾	83½	83½
Cen Mex Pet	66¾	66¾	66¾
Cent Ribbon	128¾	128¾	128¾
Cerro de Pasco	61¾	61¾	62
Certain-teed	61¾	61¾	61¾
Chand Clev	107¾	107¾	107¾
Ches & Ohio	183¾	183¾	183¾
C & O 5 P ct.	114¾	114¾	115
CM & S P pf	22¾	22¼	22¾
CM & St P	22¾	22¼	22¾
CM & St P pf	22¾	22¼	22¾
Chi & Alton	107¾	106¾	107¾
Chi & E Ill pf	48¾	48	48¾
Chi & E Ill Rr	48¾	48¾	48¾
Chi Gt W pf	28¾	27¾	28¾
Chi & N W	84¾	84¾	84¾
Chi Pneu Tool	47¾	47¾	47¾
Chi R I	85¾	85¾	85¾
Chile Copper	36¾	35¾	36¾
Chile Exploration	42¾	42¾	42¾
Coca Cola	181	180½	180½
Colo Fuel & I	58¾	58¾	58¾
Colo Fuel & I.	58¾	58¾	58¾
Colum Carbon	83¾	82¾	82¾
Colum G & E	98¾	98¾	98¾
Com Credit	19¾	19¼	19¾
Com Solv B	241¼	240¾	241¼
Com Distrib	10¾	10¾	10¾
Congoleum	18¾	18¾	18¾
Consol Cigar	62¾	62¾	62¾
Consol Gas	100	97¾	99¾
Corn	69¾	68¾	68¾
Corn Bakery A	8¾	8¾	8¾
Corn Bakery B	8¾	7¾	8
Corn Textiles	3¾	3¾	3¾
Corn Products	73¾	73¾	73¾
Corn Motors	13¾	12	12
Corn Prod pf	51¾	51¾	51¾
Crucible Steel	69¾	68¾	69¾
Cuba Cane	9¾	9¾	9¾
Cuba Cane pf	48¾	47¾	48¾
Cuban Am	32¾	32¾	32¾
Cuban-Amer	38¾	38¾	38¾
Cuban Dom	20¾	20¾	20¾
Del & Hudson	178¾	178¾	178¾
Del L & W	151¾	150	150¾
Dodge Bros	25¾	25¾	25¾
Dodge Bros.	26	25¾	26
Dodge Bros pf	84¾	83¾	84¾
Dome Mines	42¾	42¾	42¾
Dupont d N.	187¾	185¾	187¾
Eastman Kod	134¾	134¼	134¾
Elec Auto Lit	74¾	74¾	74¾
Elec Boat	14¾	14¾	14¾
Elec P & L	39¾	39¾	39¾
Elec Refrig	23¾	23¾	23¾
Elec S Battery	79¾	78¾	79¾
Endicott John	84¾	84¾	84¾
Erie R R	46¾	46¾	46¾
Erie R R	46¾	46¼	46¾
Erie 1st pf	52¾	51¾	51¾
Erie 2d pf	51¾	51¾	51¾
Erie Stm Sh	26¾	26¾	26¾
Evans Wine	12¾	12¾	12¾
Exchange Buf	74¾	73¾	74
Famous Plyrs	113¾	113¾	113¾
Federal L & T	44	42¾	42¾
Fed M & S	78	78	79
First Nat Stk	29	29	29¾
Fed Mot Trk	74¾	74¾	74¾
Fed Phos pf	98½	97¾	97¾
Gen Elec spec	111¾	111¾	111¾
Gen Food	75¾	75¾	75¾
Freeport	45¾	45¾	45¾
Gabriel Snubb	31¾	31¾	31¾
Gen Asphalt	89¾	88¾	88¾
Gen Asph pf	93¾	93¾	93¾
Gen Gas & E	47	47	47
Gen Cigar	54¾	54¾	55¾
Gen Motors	78¾	78¼	78¾
Gen Motors	163¾	162¾	163¾
Granby	37¾	37	37¾
Grand Cy Sq	101	101	101
Gimbel Bros	42¾	42	42
Gold Dust	45¾	44¾	45¾
Gold Dust	45¾	44¾	44¾
Goodrich Tire	55¾	54¾	54¾
Gr Silk Hose	66¾	66¾	66¾
Gt Nor Ore	22¾	21¾	22¾
Gt Nortbn pf	85¾	85¾	85¾
Gt Westn Sug	114¾	114¼	114
Gulf M & Nor	48¾	48¾	48¾
Gulf States	49¾	49¾	49¾
Household Pr	48¾	48¾	48¾
Houston Oil	103¾	102¾	103¾
Hd & Mn RR	54¾	54¼	54¾

	Feb 26 High	Feb 26 Low	Feb 25 Close
Hudson Motor	65¾	65¼	65¾
Hupp Motor	25¾	25¾	25¾
Illinois Cent	122¾	122¼	122¾
Indepen	20¾	20¾	20¾
Indiana	9¾	9¾	9¾
Int Ag	22¾	22¼	22¾
Int Ag pf	45¾	45¾	45¾
Interb	15¾	15¾	15¾
Int Harvester	140¾	140¾	140¾
Int Hydro	69¾	69¾	69¾
Int Mer Mar	61¾	61¾	61¾
Int Mer Mar pf	59¾	59¾	59¾
Int Nickel	49¾	49¾	49¾
Int Paper	42¾	42¾	42¾
Int Paper pf	45¾	45¾	45¾
Int Tel & Tel	49¾	49¾	49¾
Island Oil	32¾	32¼	32¾
Jewel Tea	107¾	107¾	107¾
Kan City So	50¾	50¾	50¾
Kan City So pf	84¾	84¾	84¾
Kayser Julius	51¾	51¾	51¾
Kelly-Spring	49¾	49¾	49¾
Kelsey Wheel	23¾	23¾	23¾
Kenn Copper	62	62	62
Kresge	43¾	43¼	43¾
Kroger	45¾	45¾	45¾
Lee Rubber	43¾	43¾	43¾
Lehigh Valley	135	135	135
Lehigh & Pac	36¾	35¾	36¼
Liggett Am B	92¾	92¾	
Liggett & M	92		90¾
Liggett & M B	184		184
Loews Inc	56¾	56¾	56¾
Lorillard Co	67¾	67¾	67¾
Louisville & N	169¾	168¾	169¾
Louisville & N	168¾	168	170¼
Louisville Gas	26¾	26¾	26¾
Louisville Nash	100¾	100¾	100¾
Mack Trucks	103¾	103¾	103¾
Macy	27¾	27¾	27¾
Manati Sug	28¾	28¾	28¾
Manh Elev	63	62¾	62¾
Manh Elev pf	84¾	84¾	84¾
Marland Oil	56¾	56¾	56¾
Mathieson Alk	94¾	93¾	94¾
Maxwell B	26¾	26¾	26¾
Miami Copper	24¾	24¾	24¾
Mid States Oil	26¾	25¾	26
Mid States Oil pf	39¾	39¾	39¾
Mo Kan & Tex	40¾	40¾	39¾
Mo Kan&T pf	69¾	68¾	68¾
Mo Pacific pf	101¾	100¾	101¾
Montana Pow	88¾	88¾	88
Montg Ward	66¾	66¾	66¾
Moon Motor	27¾	27¾	27¾
Motion Pictur	63¾	62¾	62¾
Motor Wheel	21¾	22¾	22¾
Munsy Body	38¾	38¾	38¾
Nash Motors	68¾	68¾	68¾
Nat Cash Reg	40¾	40¾	40¾
Nat Dairy Pr	27¾	27¾	27¾
Nat Distillers	27¾	27¾	27¾
Nat En & Stp	28¾	26¾	27¾
Nat Lead	176	175	176
Nat Lead pf	116¾	116¾	116¾
Nat Supply	34¾	34¾	34¾
Nev Cons Cop	14¾	14¾	14¾
New York Air	47¾	47¾	47¾
NY Caners	17¾	17¾	17¾
NY Central	144¾	144¾	143¾
NY & St Jos	34¾	34¾	34¾
NY Dock	34¾	34¾	37¾
NY Dock pf	53¾	53¾	53¾
NY Out & W	36¾	36¾	36¾
Norfolk & W	171¾	170¾	170¾
Nor Pacific	73¾	73¾	73¾
Oliwell Sup	35¾	35¾	36
Oppen-Collins	68¾	68¾	68¾
Otis Steel	12¾	12¾	12¾
Owens Ill Corp	107¾	107¾	107¾
Oriental Corp	32¾	32¾	33¾
Pacific Gas & E	57¾	57¾	57¾
Packard Mot	35¾	34¾	34¾
Page Detroit	19¾	19¾	19¾
Pan Am Pet B	63¾	63¾	63¾
Pan Am Pet & T	63¾	63¾	63¾
Park Utah	2¾	2¾	2¾
Parmlee Omn	26¾	26¾	26¾
Pathe A	42	41¾	42
Penn Dix Cem	43¾	43¾	43¾
Penn RR	39¾	38¾	38¾
Peoples Gas	115¾	115¾	115¾
Phila & R Co	43¾	43¾	43¾
Phillips Petrol	53¾	53¾	53¾
Pierce Arrow	21¾	21¾	21¾
Pierce Ar. pf	91¾	91¾	91¾
Real Silk Hos	47¾	47¾	47¾
Reis Robert	73¾	73¾	73¾
Replogle Steel	11¾	11¾	11¾
Rep Iron & S	66¾	66¾	66¾
Reynolds Tob B	69¾	69¾	69¾
Royal Dutch	51¾	51¾	51¾
Ruberoid Stores	47¾	47¾	47¾
St Jos Lead	41¾	41¾	41¾
St L & S Fr	110¾	107¾	110¾
St L & S'west	31¾	31¾	31¾
Seabd Air Li	35¾	34¾	35¾
Seabd Air L pf	41	41	41¾
Sears Roebuck	55¾	55¾	55¾
Shell Union O	21	20¾	21
Simms Pet	21¾	21¾	21¾
Sinclair Oil	31¾	31	31¾
Simmons Co	39¾	39¾	40
Skelly Oil	21¾	21¾	21¾
Skelly Oil	22¾	22¾	22¾
So Pac Co	137¾	136¾	137¼
Postum Cereal	97¾	97¾	97¾
Pressed St Car	34¾	34¾	34¾
Pullman Co	104¾	104	104¾
Pub Serv NJ	35¾	35¾	35¾
Pullman Co	104	104	103¾
Punta Alegre	40¾	40¾	40¾
Pure Oil	31¾	31¾	31¾
Purity Bak	46¾	46¾	46¾
Reading	104¾	104	104
Sou Pac	104¾	103¾	103¾
So Dairy A	35¾	35¾	35¾
So Dairy B	13¾	13¾	13¾
So Pfc Co	173¾	173¾	173¾
South Ry	125¾	124¾	125¾
Spicer Mfg	26¾	26¾	26¾
Std Gas & El	57¾	57¾	57¾
Std Oil Cal	55¾	54¾	55¾
Std Oil Ind	39¾	39¾	39¾
Std Oil NY	32¾	32¾	32¾
Stewart-W Sp	64¾	64¾	64¾
Studebaker	44¾	44¾	44¾
Submarine B	2¾	2¾	2¾
Superior Oil	8¾	8¾	8¾
Superior Steel	37¾	37¾	37¾
Texas Co	66¾	66¾	66¾
Tex Gu Sul	55¾	55¾	55¾
Tex P L Tr	20¾	19¾	19¾
Tex &PC&OI	14¾	14¾	14¾
Tex Pac R R	43¾	43¾	43¾
Timken RR	92¾	91¾	91¾
Tob Prod	110¾	110	110¾
Transcont Oil	4¾	4¾	4¾
Underwood	44¾	44¾	44¾
Un Bag & P	45¾	44¾	45¾
Union Carb	113¾	113	113¾
Un Oil of Cal	82¾	82¾	82¾
Union Pac	169¾	169¾	169¾
Un Tank Car	98¾	98¾	98¾
Un Cigar Sts	95¾	95	95¾
Un Drug	167	166	166¾
Un Fruit	161¾	161¾	161¾
Unity Pipe	31¾	30¾	31
U S Cl Pipe	23¾	22¾	22¾
U S Distrib	54¾	54¾	54¾
U S Ind Alc	85¾	84¾	85¾
U S Rubber	58¾	58¾	58¾
U S Rub 1 pf	110¾	110¾	110
U S Steel	161¾	160¾	160¾
U S Steel wi	116¾	116¾	116¾
Utilities P & L	30¾	30¾	30¾
Vanadium	42	41¾	42
Va Caro Chem	48¾	48	48¾
Va Car Ch pf	93¾	93¾	93¾
Vulcan Det	23¾	23¾	23¾
Wabash RR	74¾	73¾	74¾
Wabash pf A	82¾	81¾	82¾
Wabash pf B	73¾	73¾	73¾
Warner Pic	40¾	39¾	40¾
Western Md	29¾	29¾	29¾
Westn Md 2 pf	24¾	24¼	24¾
Western Pac	33¾	33¼	33¾
West Pac pf	74¾	74¾	74¾
Western U T	132	132	132
Westinh'e El	74	73¾	73¾
Wh & L E 1 pf	83¾	83¾	83¾
West A B	153¾	152¾	153¾
Weston Elec	18	17¾	18
White Eagle	27	27	27

GERMAN BONDS TO BE PAID IN PART

Notice to both "old" and "new" holders of certain German bonds that these issues will be paid in part in part was made public in Boston today.

The Mark Loans of the German Reich (i.e.—either direct issues of the German Reich, or such bonds of the following States: Prussia, Saxony, Bavaria, Saxony, Wuerttemberg, Baden, Hessen, Mecklenburg-Strelitz, Oldenburg) as have been taken over by the Reich, which have not been redeemed by exchange in the revaluation procedure provided for "old holdings," will be exchanged, in the name of the German Reich as of July 16, 1925, whether acquired prior to or since July 1, 1925, at the rate of 15 per cent. of their gold value. Excluded from revaluation is the Prussian Consolidation of 1922). The face value of all bonds issued up to the end of 1918 is equal to the gold value.

A claim for exchange exists on or for as the bond holder submits Mark claims representing individual marks 200 or a multiple thereof. The claims must be accompanied by the coupon sheets.

The time limit set during which the claims may be presented for exchange is from February 15 to June 30, 1927. Bonds which have not been submitted for exchange in time will be considered no longer representing any claim against the German government.

List of banks where the bonds will be accepted for exchange in England only the National Shawmut Bank.

The banks, against the surrender of the bonds, will deliver a receipt stating the face amount of the bonds surrendered by the holder. Such a receipt should be kept, as the new bonds will only be delivered against the surrender of such receipt.

This exchange procedure does not affect bonds of States not mentioned in the above list, such as Hamburg.

A time limit for the exchange of this class of bonds will be set at a late date.

Counselor Hans Kruezer, the German Special Commissioner, 48 Pine st., New York city, who is ready to answer inquiries, urgently requests bondholders not to forward any bonds to his office.

Wall Street Gossip

STOCKS worked higher for the week-end with public utilities leading the leaders.

COLLINS & Aikman sold at a new high, up around 2 points.

BEECH-NUT Packing Co. earned, after taxes, \$3,037,000 or \$3.03 a share of common in 1926.

HEAVY melting No. 1 steel scrap has advanced 50 cents a ton. Quotations are \$16 to \$16.50.

WILSON & Co. will schedule for March has been set at 70,000 cars. This is an 8% per cent increase over March, 1926, and a 16 per cent increase over this February.

SWIFT & Co. declared regular quarterly dividend of \$2 a share, payable April 1.

YALE & TOWNE Manufacturing Co. declared regular quarterly dividend of 40 cents.

AHUMADA Lead Co. had 1926 profit of \$1,066,723 against 1,493,732 year before.

B. F. GOODRICH Co. reports for 1926 profit of \$5,065,110 after depreciation, depletion and taxes.

HATHAWAY Baking Co. earned net this year of \$216,592 before taxes as against \$1,000,000 net profit in 1925.

CHANDLER CLEVELAND Motor Co. net profit of \$461,329 after depreciation, Federal taxes, etc., for 1926, equals \$1.11 a share on 370,000 no par shares of its present stock.

FOR MONTGOMERY Ward & Co. President Merselles says company should hold its own well in 1927.

JONES Bros. Tea Co. had 1926 net of \$310,717, against \$449,812 for 1925.

State Street Notes

UTAH, Ray, Chino and Nevada are to take action to reduce copper output.

ANACONDA shut down two of its larger mines at Butte because of overproduction. Threatening common copper industry and nonrailroad prices.

INSPIRATION Consolidated Copper Co., it is understood, intends to reduce output as it now has its leaching plant in operation which gives it quite cheap copper.

IT IS believed that **Chile Copper Co.** will probably continue to produce about as much copper as at present.

AMERICAN Smelting & Refining Co. net for 1926 is estimated at above \$21 a share of common.

NEW BRITAIN, Ct., will receive proposals until noon, March 7, on \$250,000 of school and water bonds, dated Feb. 1, 1927, and maturing in each of years 1927 to 1946, inclusive.

WESTFIELD will receive bids until March 4 for discount of temporary loan of \$100,000, payable \$15,000 on Oct. 6 and balance Nov. 3.

BOSTON office of Jas. H. Rooney, New England passenger agent of Great Northern Railway, will be moved March 1 to the Little Building.

MONTREAL Stock Exchange announced new membership in bank, stock brokers, members of exchange, had assigned.

Cotton Is Steady

New York, Feb. 26—The cotton market was steady here today, with closing prices unchanged to 5 points higher. March sold at 13.39, down 01, May 14.15, down .02, and July 14.35, unchanged.

	Feb 26 High	Feb 26 Low	Close
White Motor	57¾	56¾	57¾
Willys-Ov	24¾		
Willys-Overl pf	24	23¾	23¾
Wilson & Co	91¾	91	91¾
Wilson & Co A	29¾	29¼	29¼
Wilson & Co pf	73¾	73¾	73¾
White Rock	28¾	28	28
Woolworth	128	127¾	128
Worthington	28	28	28
Wright Aero	31¾	30¾	31¾
Yellow Truck	27¾	27¾	27¾
Youngstown S	30¾	30¾	30¾

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Boston Stocks

	Feb 26 High	Feb 26 Low	Feb 25 Close
Am Can	146¾	146¾	146¾
Allied Chem	134¾	134¾	134¾
Am Pneu	4	3¾	4
Am Pneu 2 pf	20	20	20
Am Smelting	148¾	148¾	148¾
Am Tel	159¾	158¾	159¾
Am Woolen	74¾	73¾	73¾
Am Woolen pf	98¾	98¾	98¾
Amoskeag	35¾	35¾	35¾
Amoskeag pf	80	80	80
Arcadia	47¾	46¾	46¾
Aria Com	45	45	45
Atchison	169¾	168¾	168¾
Atlantic Fish	3¾	3¾	3¾
Baldwin	194¾	194¾	195¾
Balt & Ohio	113¾	113	113
Bigelow Hfd	78	78	78
Bos & Albany	180	180	178½
Bos & Lowell	114	114	114
Bos Elev 2 pf	106¾	106¾	105½
B & M Cl stpd	94	94	
B & M Cl stpd	49	49	47¾
Cal & Hecla	15¾	15¾	15¾
Calumet & A	65¾	65¾	65¾
Chas & Ohio	157¾	157¾	157¾
Cliff	12¾	12¾	12¾
Copper Gas	13¾	13¾	13¾
Cop Range	13¾	13¾	13¾
Dodge A	25¾	25¾	25¾
Dom Rub	153¾	153¾	153¾
Edison	223¾	223¾	223¾
E Mass St pf	114	114	114
Fairbanks	27¾	27¾	27
Fastern Mfg	6¾	6¾	6¾
Fisk Rub	6¾	6¾	6¾
Fitchburg	49¾	49¾	49¾
Gen Elec	111¾	111¾	111¾
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EDITORIAL PAGE OF THE BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN BOSTON FEBRUARY 26, 1927

NATIONAL POLICIES OF THE HEARST NEWSPAPERS

1. An agreement of English-speaking peoples to preserve peacamong themselves and promote the peace of the world.
2. A constitutional amendment to provide for the election of Unted States Senators in numbers proportionate to the population of each State, but n State to have less than two Senators. A reapportionment of Congressional reprentation immediately after every census, or in case of the failure of Congress so to act, to make the apportionment automatic at the end of the first Congressional session, the proportion of population for each representative in each case to be that of the existing Congress.
3. A separate Department of the Army, of the Navy and of the Air Forces, all united under a Secretary of National Defense.
4. Federal action to the limit of Federal Government powers to abolish illiteracy among the people of the United States, and the creation of a Secretary of Education.
5. Necessary measures to secure the election of Congress in November and its installation on the 1st of January following, and the inauguration of a President on the 1st of January immediately following his election in November.

For Christmas, Perhaps

But Not for the Whole Year

THIS IS MR. STUDDY'S CHRISTMAS GREETING

Many have seen in The American Weekly, published with the Hearst Sunday newspapers, the pictures of cheerful little dogs drawn by the Englishman, Mr. G. E. Studdy. The above picture by Mr. Studdy, in a cheerful mood, was sent as a Christmas greeting to his friends. This happy puppy has a large tankard of beer beside him, a turkey drumstick on a fork in one paw and a heavy piece of plum pudding at the end of a knife in the other paw.

The motto Mr. Studdy chooses to adopt is, "Don't be careful, just be cheerful."

The British artist uses that motto on Christmas ONLY. He is successful, and therefore you may be sure that on all but Christmas days, and on Christmas days also very likely, he is at least as careful as he is cheerful.

Many that never get anywhere and don't succeed take this advice, "Don't be careful, just be cheerful," too literally, and too CONTINUOUSLY.

Government Meddling

Multiplication of Dry Enforcement Agents Threatens Us With "One Officer for Every Ten Persons"

A very striking and true statement by Senator Borah recently declared that centralization is digging the grave of our government, that bureaucracy imperils popular rule in this country, that government meddling is undermining the ability of citizens to manage themselves in the future.

Senator Borah furthered that "there will soon be an officer for every ten persons in the Republic."

He says that "every conceivable action of mind and body will be under the direction and surveillance of a bureau."

He says that "taxes will be $100 per capita. Forty per cent. of the National income will be demanded for the public expenses."

Any reader is justified in thinking that the Idaho Senator is exposing the evils and perils of the prohibition law.

It is the outstanding and the most resented instance of the government putting "every conceivable action of mind and body under the direction and surveillance of a bureau."

Its "inspectors and spies leer upon the citizen from every street and corner." They "accompany him hourly in his daily vocation." They even follow him home and snoop and sniff and peer at him there.

It is the multiplication of prohibition enforcement costs and agents which threaten us with "one officer for every ten persons in the Republic with taxes of $100 per capita."

The astounding thing is that the brilliant and logical Senator from Idaho can paint this alarming picture of the future and yet be one of the pillars supporting the prohibition law, which is driving us to this future.

How does Senator Borah reconcile his excellent principles with his championship of the law which most flagrantly violates those principles—a law, moreover, which has created more bitterness and resistance among citizens than anything in the history of the Nation—a law which daily gets further from achieving its object, temperance?

Drug Addiction a Waste

Minimum Expenditure on "Dope" by Average Victim $5 a Day

The economic waste in drug addiction is not its worst feature, but it is bad enough.

Students of the problem estimate at $5 the daily minimum expenditure on "dope" by its average victim.

A city with 15,000 addicts sees annually a direct waste of $27,375,000, to which must be added the waste in impaired earning power and the extra cost in policing which this habit entails.

As Henry M. Leland, of Detroit, an authority, has pointed out:

"Most addicts are incapable of earning the money they spend for the drugs, so they get it any way they can—by shoplifting, by robbing automobiles or by holding up pedestrians, stores, banks.

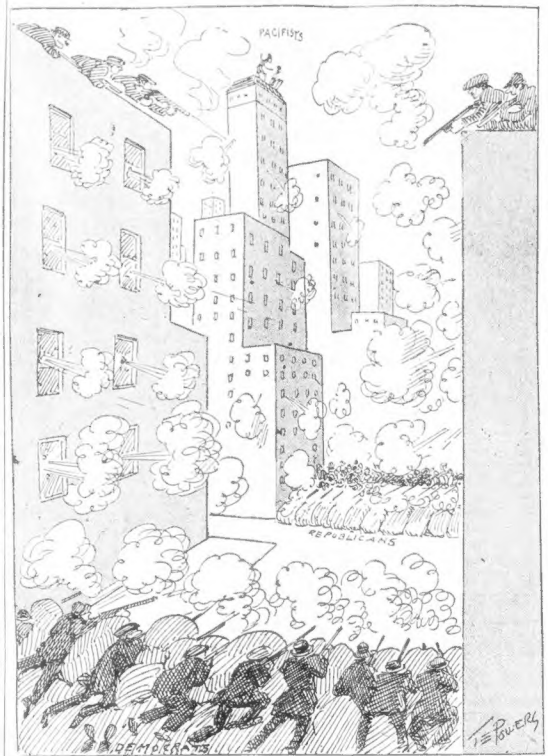
"They steal a tire which perhaps cost the owner $30, but for which they get $5 or $10. They take a watch which may have cost $100, but for which they get $20. They steal a ring that cost $25 and get $5 for it. They steal a suit of clothes which cost $75, but for which they get perhaps $10.

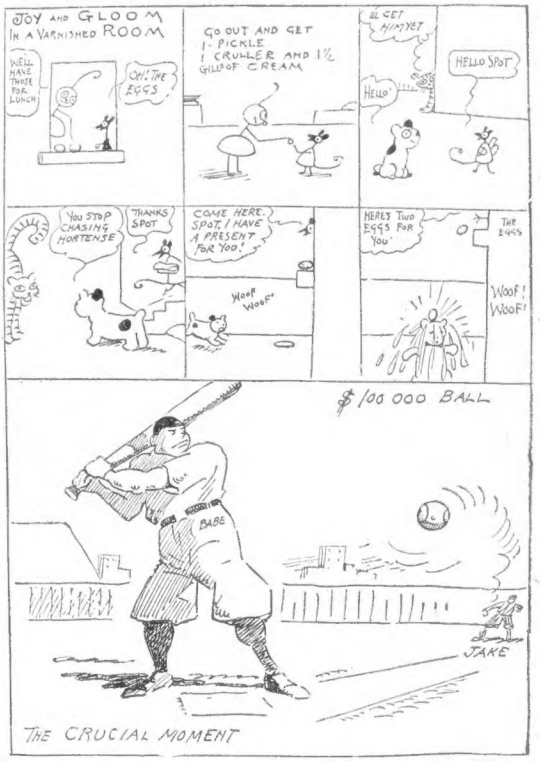
"Ninety per cent. of the petty crimes in this country can be directly attributed to users of narcotic drugs."

Society needs to arouse in self-defense.

Getting Out the Primary Vote in Chicago

-:- -:- By T. E. Powers





SAMENESS IN DOING WRONG ALWAYS

By DR. FRANK CRANE

A CANVASS of citizens in public and private life in New York the other day revealed the fact that they did not make any New Year resolutions, but that they wanted bigger and better sins.

The trouble with sins is that there are too few of them.

There is too much of a sameness. There are only ten commandments and when you have broken them all there is nothing to do but go back and break them over.

After all, the sinning business seems to run pretty much in a rut and the people whose nerves are most greatly affected and are the most bored are those who make a business of sinning.

The problem of being good and doing good is adventurous and unending, whereas the problem of doing wrong is pretty much of a sameness.

You often find those who have dedicated their lives to wrong-doing blase and full of world-weariness, but it is rare to find a man whose life has been occupied in doing good who is not serenely happy.

The human being is like everything else a part of nature. He is just as much a part of nature as a tree is and the way for him to enjoy perfect happiness, as near as possible, is to conform with nature's laws.

And that is what doing good is, merely conforming to the cosmos or the general order of things. When you do wrong it is simply like a loose bolt in a piece of machinery. The whole structure rattles and goes to pieces.

Another name for doing right is keeping one's self adjusted always to the scheme of things. In that case the scheme of things will adjust itself to him, and he will be helped along his way.

The Bible says that in a certain instance, "the stars in their courses" fought against a certain person. And the only way to keep the stars in their course—which is another name or expression for the sum of things—from grinding you to pieces, is properly to adjust yourself to it.

People have been trying experiments in wrong-doing since the world began, and the trouble is they don't work. But probably so long as human fools are born they will continue experiments and continue to find that they don't work.

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WORDS OF THE WISE MEN

Gifts and alms are the expressions, not the essence of virtue. —Addison.

The sweetest joy, the wildest woe is love. —Bailey.

A sound discretion is not so much indicated by never making a mistake, as by never repeating it.—Bovee.

That each thing, both in small and great, fulfilleth the task which destiny hath set down. —Hippocrates.

Cheerfulness is an offshoot of goodness and of wisdom. —Bovee.

BOSTON DAY BY DAY

TAN

WITH a heavy coat of tan—not from L street.—"SMILING JOE" WHALEN is back at his STATE STREET desk with the Hamburg American Line, a strong advocate of the West Indies and the sunny climate. "JOE" has just conducted a tour for the United American Line, out of New York.

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SLAVES.

SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE MICHAEL CROWLEY is authority for the statement that 75 per cent. of men arrested in Boston during the past ten years for serious offenses have admitted to him that they used intoxicating liquors. The other 25 per cent. never touched liquor, according to the super. "Drug addicts," he added, "commit many larcenies. These larcenies are for the purpose of getting money with which to purchase more drugs."

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SPORTS

Napoleon believed an army's morale was maintained by the fullness of its stomach. MAJOR GENERAL EDWARD L. LOGAN, commander of the 26TH DIVISION, adds a paragraph to Napoleon's theory and says: "Give them plenty of sports." Probably few National Guard divisions in the country indulge more extensively in athletics than the boys of the 26th, both at CAMP DEVENS in the summer and in their armories during the winter. LIEUTENANT-COLONEL WALDRON RAND, general staff, devotes most of his time arranging athletic carnivals throughout the year. Cups and medals are given winners.

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PROMOTION

The promotion of WILLIAM FISHER, secretary to MAYOR NICHOLS, as secretary of the Commercial, Industrial and Publicity Bureau at CITY HALL, is by far the most popular move yet made by "Honeyboy" William came to CITY HALL thirteen months ago. He is a bright spot in the mayoral family. He is energetic, agreeable and humane.

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PALS

FIRE CHIEF "DAN" SENNOTT and his son, CLIFFORD, are inseparable pals. Not a day passes that they aren't together in the downtown section around the noon hour or early afternoon. Both are about the same height, look alike and are frequently taken for brothers, which is a compliment to the CHIEF, who is full of pep and as agile as a youth.

What Do You Know?

If you are the sort of person who thinks that a madrigal is a bird, then these tests should untie many mental knots for you.

Complete these statements accurately: 1. Titian was a Venetian ——. 2. Ural Mountains are in ——. 3. Zenith is the point in the heavens that is exactly ——. 4. Aurora is the goddess of the ——. 5. Feldspar is a ——. 6. Margaret Deland wrote "The Iron ——."

Rearrange these words, so that opposites will be paired:

7. Appease	Robust
8. Feeble	Treason
9. Homage	Riotous
10. Listless	Aggravate
11. Orderly	Eager

With what country do you connect: 12. Bartolome Murillo. 13. Jean Millet. 14. Wendell Phillips. 15. Johann Mozart. 16. Fridjof Nansen.

See Monday's paper to verify your results. Answers to yesterday's test: 1. plant; 2. bird; 3. 8c. Lawrence River; 4. planet; 5. contest; 6. collection; 7. smallest; 8. prophetic; 9. mournful; 10. total; 11. James Barrie; 12. Nathaniel Hawthorne; 13. Jane Addams; 14. Elizabeth B. Browning; 15. Eugene Field; 16. John G. Whittier.

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LISTEN, WORLD!

By ELSIE ROBINSON

All week you have gone through that devil's litany—opium, morphine, heroin, cocaine—narcotics, hypnotics and the "harmless" bromides that pave the terrible way. All week you have read of the Hellish agony which their addiction brings.

All week you have heard a reiteration of that shameful fact that AMERICA HAS MORE NARCOTIC ADDICTS THAN ANY OTHER NATION IN THE WORLD.

And now, what are you going to do about it?

What does your country's shame and your brother's peril mean to you?

How are you going to guard your own life against this menace and prepare your child to fight it.

MUST KILL SERPENT

Work for better legislation? Yes, but that isn't enough.

Help build institutions for the proper treatment of those who have contracted the terrible habit? Yes, but that isn't enough.

Fortify yourself and warn your child against trifling with the various forms of opium or the vendors who sell such things? Yes, but even that isn't enough.

You must drive deeper than that if you do your share toward eliminating the dope evil.

You must dig down to the very foundation of individual character and public opinion.

YOU MUST KILL THE DOPE SERPENT WHILE IT IS STILL IN THE EGG, BEFORE IT IS HATCHED INTO ACTION.

AND THAT EGG LIES, NOT IN INDIA OR CHINA OR MEXICO, BUT IN OUR OWN LIVES AND THOUGHTS.

Why is America in the grip of dope addiction?

Is is because evil agencies are brewing the poison in the Orient?

NO.

IT IS BECAUSE AMERICAN LIFE HAS DRIFTED INTO A CONDITION WHERE WE CRAVE DOPE.

Dope eases pain.

Dope helps us escape reality.

Dope speeds things up and smooths things down.

Dope gives an illusion of health and strength, power and beauty. We want these things.

EASY WAY OUT

We have turned away from the old, hard, tedious, sane ideals and we are chasing bubbles.

We want to get out of hardship, escape from tedium, evade responsibility and duck painful consequences. We want pleasure and power and pep and we want them in a hurry. We don't want to work for them or wait for them.

"Make it snappy," we cry to life and reach out our uncalloused hands greedily for the baubles we desire.

I suppose life won't hand these to us?

And we haven't grit or patience enough to win them for ourselves?

What then?

Then many of us try to "snitch them" by some easier way.

Alcohol—That's one way out of trouble—one way into pleasure.

The "harmless non-habit forming hypnotics" — vernol, trional, sulfonal, the bromides—there's another quick and easy way.

Aspirin tablets—they sound harmless, don't they? Do you know how many people eat aspirin as they would peppermint drops?

Easy ways out—easy ways to ward off pressure and pain and get at least a temporary illusion of peace and strength.

ALL NEED TO FIGHT

And they all pave the way for dope—they're the REAL "smuggler" across the border.

If you're going to fight dope, begin there.

Tell your child to begin there—inside his own nature, in the secret, private places of his own cowardice and laziness.

Tell him that the dope habit doesn't begin with a pill or pipe or "shot in the arm." TELL HIM IT BEGINS IN BEING A COWARD—A SLACKER WHO TRIES TO RUN AWAY FROM LIFE.

Tell him that no vendor is as deadly as the vendor who peddles excuses and alibis.

Make him realize that he isn't safe from drug addiction simply because he is well born, popular, education, healthy—

THERE IS NO PERSON IN AMERICA TODAY, MAN, WOMAN OR CHILD WHO DOES NOT NEED TO FIGHT, FOR HIS OWN SELF AND THE DEADLY PERIL OF DOPE.